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## FOREWORD

The materials assembled and presented herewith have been gathered from many sources, the more important of which are indicated in the text. The inquiries pursued by the writer and others seem more and more to reinforce the probability that all of the Galt families which have been studied are interconnected and had a common source. The two chief theories of that source are presented in the text.

The work was undertaken during a furlough period which offered an opportunity to visit different parts of America. Among the persons met, or reached by correspondence, are several who, with deep interest in the project, have cooperated with the writer and made large contributions to the task.

Miss Mary Meares Galt, of the Eastern Virginia branch of the family, the writer met at Washington, D. C., while she was on the staff of the American University in that city. Miss Galt has been indefatigable in her inquiries and her correspondence. Data gathered by her appear on many pages of the present work.

Dr. W. Harvey Smith, of Winnipeg, Canada, whose wife is a grand-daughter of John Galt, the Scotch writer, has made extensive studies among the Canada Galts, and supplied most of the information relating to that branch.

Miss Caroline M. Galt, professor of Greek and Archaeology in Mt. Holyoke College, supplied much genealogical material concerning the Pennsylvania and the Maryland Galts (collected earlier by her brother) and was helpful in other ways. Her untimely death in January, 1936 brought to an end her valuable cooperation.

✓ rec'd May 1972



Other notable contributions have been made by Mr. William Galt Brown, of St. Louis, and by Mr. John Randolph Galt, of Honolulu—as recorded in the text.

To all of these, and to many others, the writer expresses his thanks for their ready cooperation.

The early part of the work was prepared during the spring of 1936. After the writer returned to China in August much additional information was received. The work of revision and expansion, paralleling the task of printing, had to be performed slowly at odd moments which could be spared from the writer's regular university work. This accounts for the delay in the date of publication.

The present study, although brief, has been made as comprehensive as possible, the purpose being to systematize and preserve all valuable data, with the hope that in the future someone may, using what is here presented as a foundation, extend the studies, establish more complete interconnections, and determine the common source, if such there be.

Peiping, July, 1938

H. S. G.

(Penn, VII, 239.)

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### PROCESSIONAL

Ten thousand forebears march within my blood;  
 Their life streams merge and lift mine to its flood.  
 My heart, be swift and steadfast, bold and true;  
 Ten thousand hearts have put their faith in you.

—Elinor Lennen.







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## I. THE GALTS IN DENMARK

The *Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine* for January, 1922 (Vol. LVI, No. 1), page 35, contains a copy of a coat-of-arms, marked "Galt", followed by these paragraphs:

"The earliest appearance of the family name of Galt in records, occurs in Denmark. It is quite probable that the family had its origin there, and that certain members, migrating to Scotland, furnished the originators of the Scotch and Irish Galts, from whom the various American branches of the family have sprung.

"The name belongs to one of Denmark's oldest and noblest families, often being seen in connection with old castles, etc. There was hardly a cathedral in Denmark that did not have a chair with the Galt armorial bearings on its back, and twenty-six estates in that country alone have been owned and occupied by various branches of the Galt family.

"The first ancestor of whom we have positive knowledge was Herr Mogens Lagesen (Galt), knighted in 1397. He was buried in the Cathedral of Roeskilde. His grandson, Herr Mogens Ebbesen Galt, of Thyrrstrup, knighted 1444, was Governor of Aalholm and Kolding Castle and died 1481.

"Herr Mogens Ebbesen's second son Ebbe Mogensen, Governor of Helsingborg, killed in battle in 1500, in Ditmarschen, married Sophie Holg. Peder's daughter, and their son was Peder Ebgesen, of Thyrrstrup, Palsgaard, Birkelse, etc. He was counsellor of State, died 1548, and is buried in Sovind Church. His tombstone still exists. He married Ingeborg Drefeld Giord's daughter and is the ancestor of the younger branch of the family, which branch became extinct in the death, in 1698, of Knud Hendrik Galt, of Viunigaard, the last man of the family.

"Therefore the name is perpetuated through the oldest





branch alone, and the coat-of-arms is rightly used by them.

“Used through the courtesy of Mrs. G. Wallace W. Hanger (Lucy Galt) Organizing Secretary General. N. S. D. A. R.”

The Philadelphia *Public Ledger* published in 1930 (about July 25) a copy of the same coat-of-arms, and a short sketch similar to the above, under the title, “Who are You? a Galt?” The sketch is slightly more general in form, with less of detail. It is followed by this statement, apparently by the editor: “Among prominent persons today of the Galt clan is Herbert Randolph Galt, editor, of St. Paul, Minn.” The author of the sketch is Ruby Haskins Ellis.

The present writer has made various attempts to trace the sources of the report that the family is of Danish origin. In December, 1935, he visited his cousin, Miss Caroline M. Galt, Professor of Greek and Archaeology in Mt. Holyoke College, who gave the following interesting report: In 1912 she was staying for a period in Rome, and made the acquaintance of a Danish gentleman, who remarked, on hearing the name *Galt*, that it was a name frequently met with in the historical records of Denmark. He offered to make inquiries into the subject through a friend of his connected with some bureau of archives in Copenhagen, and later reported to her the data obtained. Later, after returning to America, Miss Galt supplied these data to a member of the Galt family who was interested.

Later Miss Galt furnished the present writer a copy of a letter written Sept. 4, 1912, by Mary Jeffery Galt (of the east Virginia branch of the family) to her, which began as follows:

“I wrote at once after receiving your letter to my sister Mrs. Duane, of New York. I enclosed the coat-of-arms, asking her to take it to a ‘coat-of-arms man’ that I have known for a long time and ask him some questions about it. I thought he might know the very things that you wished to know”.





Several attempts have been made to trace the steps between the situation just mentioned and the publication of the account of the Danish origin of the family in the D. A. R. Magazine and the Philadelphia Public Ledger, but without success. All the evidence seems to point however to the data gathered in Rome by Miss Caroline M. Galt as the source of the published statements, and the historical accuracy of the data are hardly open to question.

Other reports of the Danish origin of the family have come to light. Although they thus far lack the support of dependable historical sources, it seems worth while to record them here.

Miss Mary Jeffery Galt, further along in the letter quoted above, says,

"I have believed for a long time that the Galts came originally from Denmark---so has my oldest brother and also Doctor Galt of Loudoun Co.

"I remember the story of one of the ladies of the family saying to another once, 'Yes, the Galts were descended from a family of pirates---one of whom was executed'. The lady addressed said, 'Well that is nothing---in old times the most aristocratic people were pirates'. This conversation has been a source of amusement ever since. But you will see a good deal in it. It is the tradition of Admiral Peder Galt, and the answer is the family pride---though I must confess, a little strained".

From another source we find a reference to this case of Admiral Peder Galt, but the report lifts his case a little above the level of piracy. Dr. W. Harvey Smith, of Winnipeg, Canada, whose wife is a daughter of Sir Alexander Tilloch Galt (son of John Galt, the novelist) in a letter to the writer dated April 15, 1936, writes:

"I have delayed replying to your letters of March 5th and 19th, as we have been looking forward to the visit of a





brother-in-law [Alexander Tilloch Galt, son of Sir Alexander, mentioned above], who is very well posted on the Galt family. He is a bachelor who before the war lived in Germany, and after, in Vienna. He is an authority on pictorial art and music, and in his wanderings about the earth is always on the lookout for anything which may relate to the Galt family. Five days ago he arrived in Winnepeg. He was greatly interested in your letters, and especially in your attempt to link up the Galts with Denmark. He told me that ten years ago, when in Zurich, he visited the central library where he discovered an ancient tome in German, of the 18th century, in which he found a reference to Vice-Admiral Peder Galt (Galtzius) member of a noble family, who was beheaded because he had not succeeded in preventing the Swedish fleet from escaping from Kiel. According to this record, the Danish Astronomer Tycho Brahe predicted that the Vice-Admiral would come to a tragic and untimely end. Brahe died in 1601, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. From the same source I learn that a seven year war was waged between Denmark and Sweden, commencing in 1563. Presumably therefore the Vice-Admiral must have been beheaded prior to 1570. Galt, or Galtzius, was reputed to be not only a sea-faring man, but an astrologer and writer of note, and to have displayed those qualities of physique and of mind which were possessed by the Scotch, Canadian and American Galts. My brother-in-law suggests that as the result of the solution of continuity between the Vice-Admiral's head and his body, his family migrated to Scotland!"

Dr. Smith undertook to secure further evidence verifying this item, and under date of September 16, 1936, wrote as follows:

"My brother-in-law has succeeded in securing the infor;





mation sought by me unsuccessfully in Zurich, regarding Vice-admiral Peder Galt, concerning which I wrote you. Here it is:

‘Zentralbibliothek, Zurich. Zurich, Aug, 18th, 1936.

Oeffentliche Stiftung.

‘The information you want about Peter Galt is found in “Grosses vollstandiges Universal-Lexicon aller Wissenschaften und Kinste . . .” by Johann Heinrich Zedler, printed at Halle and Leipzig, vol. 10, 1735, col. 218, as follows: [translated]

“Galt, or Galtze, (Petrus) a Danish noblemen, was Vice-Admiral of Christian IV, and was beheaded Aug. 31st, 1644, at Copenhagen, in his 70th year, because he allowed the Swedish fleet—shut up in the harbor of Kiel—to escape. This event is said to have been told him before by Tycho Brahe. He was the author of ‘de Jure Danorum’, ‘Vaticinium de Regno Suetio’, and an oration, ‘de Nobilitate Gentis & Mentis’.” (Witte; Diary, Holberg’s; History of the Danish State and Kingdom.)”

In an earlier letter (January, 1936) Dr. Smith wrote the following:

“Replying to your query, ‘Do you know of any connection with the Danish Galts?’, I worked out the following several years ago. From what source the first item was obtained I cannot say: ‘Herr Morgan Lagesen Galt, of Denmark, knighted in 1397’”.

The reference here was to the above as the first item in a genealogical list of the John Galt family. From the similarity in name, date and statement, one may infer that the source of this item is probably the same as the Denmark data recorded on page one.

At this point it may be relevant to record what is known about the word *Galt*. The best authority here, we suppose.





is The Oxford Dictionary. Vol. IV of this work, published in 1901, gives the following:

Galt, *Obs. exc. dial.* Also 15th Cent. Galte; 17th Cent. gawt, gaute, gault. Adapted from old Norse *golt-r* str., *galte* wk. Masc., boar.

Old High Ger., *galza*, *gelza*, sow.

Mid. High Ger., *galza*, *gelze*, Mod. Ger., *Gelze*; related to Gilt. A boar or hog.

Following the above are records of usage, dating from 1400 to 1895.

The Oxford Dictionary gives a second derivation of the word—this time from the English, with an entirely different meaning—as follows:

Gault, Geol. Also 16 Cent. *galte*, 18-19 Cent. *golt*, *galt*. (Of obscure origin; cf. OSw *galt*, neut. of *galder* adj., barren)

*Gault clay*, a kind of clay. etc.

Usage is then given, from 1575 to 1893, and with the following variations in spelling: *galte* *gaults*, *golt*, *galt*, *gault*.

In the Appendix (p. 194) of a biography of John Galt (Scotch author) by Jennie W. Aberdein, published by the Oxford Press in September, 1936, there is the following statement, referring to early inhabitants of Ayrshire, a Scotch center of Galt connections:

“Most of the names found in the Cunningham district of Ayrshire are believed to be teutonic, even Danish, and if we regard the name Galt as of Danish, not Celtic, origin, we find it is a nickname or sign-name, actually found in Denmark, and meaning Hog (cf. Peder Galt, Danish Vice-Admiral, executed 1644), ME *galte*; Danish and Norwegian, *galt*, a hog.”

From the data cited above we see that many lines of evi-





dence converge on Denmark as the place of origin of both the family and the name. And if the Danish origin of the name be accepted then its original meaning was *pig* or *boar*.

## II. THE GALTS IN SCOTLAND

Repeated investigations have thus far failed to find any definite records of the migration of the Galts from Denmark to Scotland. That such migration took place is inference, but it seems supported by probabilities, and among them attention may be called to what history records of the contacts between the people of Denmark and those of the British Isles. The records may be summarized as follows:

As early as A. D. 839 organized bands of Vikings (Danes, etc.) were visiting the eastern coast of England. The weight of the Danish attack fell upon Mercia and Northumbria. By 869 the Danish army had entered this region and settled permanently. The whole of the eastern coast, from the Thames northward, became a Danish region. And the reign of Canute, a Danish king, over England in the early part of the 11th century is well known. During this period the southern part of Scotland, from the Firth of Forth southward, came under strong English (or Danish) influence, and the contacts with the Danish raiders and rulers must have been much the same on both sides of the Tweed.

Thus we see that historical events and geographical conditions created a situation in which Galts from Denmark might easily have migrated to the borders of southern Scotland, so that the connection between the Galts there and those in Den-





mark is a hypothesis strongly supported by several probabilities.

An extensive account of the Galts in Scotland is not a part of our present plan, and data for such an account are lacking. But it seems worthwhile to record here such scattered and fragmentary data as are at hand, as a possible contribution to someone's more complete work in the future.

We shall consider first the family connections of John Galt (1779-1839) the Scotch writer, extensive treatments of whom may be found in the encyclopaedias and biographical dictionaries. Much material concerning him and his genealogy have been supplied by Dr. W. Harvey Smith, mentioned above. The genealogy of this branch of the family will be set down in systematic form in the Appendix. Here we shall report some general bits of information about John Galt and his connections.

First we note that a book called "Annals of the Parish" is one of the best known of John Galt's writings. And we quote from a letter written in 1915 by a certain Michael Findlay, in Glasgow, to George F. Galt, in Canada, a grandson of John Galt:

"You say that your family history does not go so far back as 1570. Well, in answer to that I must first of all begin at Dreghorn Parish, and you will find a statement by your grandfather at page 228 of his Autobiography, that he took Dreghorn Parish Church as his model for the story of the 'Annals of the Parish', for the reason that this was the birthplace of his forebears. Now I have made a diligent inquiry, but it would be difficult to trace the exact relationship through close to 500 years, the age of Dreghorn Parish.

"About nine or ten years ago, a Mr. Craig of Dreghorn, the Clerk of the Heritors of Dreghorn Parish, wrote a series of articles on the history of the Parish of Dreghorn, his informa-





tion being gleaned from the 'Kirk Session Records of the Parish'. And he says the name Galt appears frequently in the records, and they were connected with the Church in the 16th century.

"Further the oldest stone in the graveyard has this inscription still to be seen, J. L. & M. G. This stone is for John Love in Warrick Hill, who deceased in May, 1668, aged 92 years, and Marion Galt, his spouse, deceased Dec. (date not decipherable now) . . . . A famous stone reputed to be the place where Galt's forefathers lie, bears this inscription:

'Here lies the corpse of John Galt, Cooper, Kirkside, who died Feb. 1719. Here also lyes the corpse of Marion Crawford, his spouse, who died 1701, age 52, here also lyes Robert William, and William, Hugh, Jean, and Grizal Galt, their children, also Alexander Galt their son who died April 25, 1753, aged 59. Also here lyes the corpse of James Galt, Cooper in Irvine, who died 20th Dec., 1778, aged 83'.

"The back of the stone is ornamented with carving, three hoops hanging, two pair compasses, and an adze, a staving block, a scotching knife and a barrel".

Although the relationships are not entirely clear, it seems probable that John Galt, Cooper, who died in 1719, was the great grandfather of John Galt, the writer.

The latter was born in Irvine (1779) but at the age of nine years removed with his father's family to Greenock. The new house erected at the time was the family home for a long period. Both father and son were buried in the Greenock Cemetery (also known as the Inverkip Burial Ground). The inscription on the tombstone (as reported by Mr. Findlay) is as follows:

"Here are deposited the remains of John Galt, formerly shipmaster, and afterwards Merchant in Greenock, he died on the 6th Aug., 1817 in the 67th year of his age, having





uniformly enjoyed the esteem of all who knew him  
also

Jean Thomson his spouse, who died 18th July, 1826 in the  
80th year of her age also

John Galt their son who died on the 11th April 1839 in  
his 60th year. Author of *Annals of the Parish*, etc., etc."

A tablet on the gable end of the house in Greenock bears this inscription: "Here John Galt dwelt at his death, 11th April 1839." And his memory is preserved in other tablets, both at Greenock and at Irvine.

Subsequent to the writing of the above paragraphs the book entitled "John Galt", by Jennie W. Aberdeen, was published—a very interesting and carefully written biography. It contains a brief genealogy of John Galt, and many references to the various Galts residing in the Ayrshire district—one record as early as 1542.

We turn next to a collateral branch of the family of John Galt, represented now by Alexander Galt, D. Sc, F. R. S. E., who has a place in the *Who's Who* for Great Britain, and who resides in Edinburgh. He is descended from James Galt, a brother of the grandfather of John Galt, the writer. We quote the following from a letter from Dr. Alexander Galt dated Feb. 12, 1936:

"My father Alexander Galt (1827-1868) had an older sister Elizabeth (1812-1892) whom I knew well. She was thoroughly versed in the ancestry of the family. . . . I always remember her words to me that we were closely related to *the* John Galt, probably descended from a brother of his father [should be grandfather], John Galt's parents lived in Irvine, where he was born. My father's parents lived there too, and so did my aunt. . . . The family home was in Kilmarnock and our relatives were mainly in Kilmarnock and Irvine."





Other references to the Galts in Scotland may be found in a book called *Israfel*, by Hervey Allen, which is a carefully written biography of Edgar Allan Poe. Poe, on his father's side, was of Scotch-Irish ancestry, and was connected with the Galt family. We quote the following from page 679 of *Israfel*:

"Edgar (Allan) Poe's ancestry on his father's side was Scotch-Irish and can be traced back into the parish of Fenwick in Ayrshire, Scotland, where there were intermarriages with some of the remote ancestors of the Allans and the Galts. 'The Poes belonged to the Protestant Scotch who went to Ireland'. And from page 23 of the same work we take the following:

"John Allan [foster-father of Edgar (Allan) Poe] was a native of Irvine, Scotland, where he was born in 1780. In early youth he had been left an orphan and emigrated from Scotland to settle in Richmond, having been brought up in the store, counting house and ships of his Uncle, William Galt". Also, on page 57:

"About thirty miles south of Irvine and Kilmarnock on the Cree water, in a country of beautiful private parks and small lochs, lived the Galts at a handsome estate called 'Flowerbanks', that overlooked a charming prospect in the Cree valley".

From scattered references in the book we infer that there lived at Flowerbanks a Mrs. Elizabeth Galt, and four orphan nephews, two of whom were named Thomas and James; that here or near by lived a Mrs. ( ) Galt Allan, who had four children, John, Mary, Jane and a "Mrs. Fowlds"; and that the William Galt, of Richmond, Virginia, was a brother who had migrated to America. The general date of the period is the beginning of the 19th century, so these were all contemporary with John Galt, the writer.

At Glasgow also, we have evidence that there were Galts. but the relationship, if any, with those mentioned above is un-





determined. A letter to the writer from Miss Mary M. Galt (of Washington, D. C. —to be mentioned later) states that as late as 1924 she saw the names of Galts on pews in St. Mungo's Cathedral at Glasgow. One of the names was William Galt.

The writer has a letter also from Russell Galt, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences of the American University at Cairo, Egypt, which says:

"I have lost touch with my father's family in Scotland, and know only in a vague way that his brothers and sisters lived in Stevenson, a suburb of Glasgow".

Other Galts in Scotland are referred to in a letter from a certain William Galt, of Somerville, Mass., who wrote in 1926:

"As far back as 50 years I can remember my father and mother came to Dundee, Scotland from Macduff or in that neighborhood, where they were both born over 80 years ago. My father's parents lived almost all their lives in and around Aberdeen, Scotland".

So far as we have data the presence of Galts as far north as Aberdeen seems exceptional. Most of the evidence points to south Scotland as the region of the Galts, and the County of Ayr seems to have been the most common center of origin.

### III. THE GALTS IN IRELAND

We have been unable to find definite accounts of migrations of Galts from Scotland to Ireland. The presence of Galts in the north of Ireland is of course a well known fact. As to how and why they came there we can only appeal to





history, and, as in the case of the alleged migration of Galts from Demark to Scotland, outline the favorable circumstances in the midst of which the migration took place.

In 1607 there happened in North Ireland what was known as "The Flight of the Earls", as a result of a conflict of local rulers in North Ireland with English authorities. This "flight" left much land in the northern counties with no overlordship and sparsely populated. The English authorities proceeded to confiscate the land and decided upon a scheme of "Plantations", according to which large areas of land were offered to English and Scotch immigrants on very favorable terms. "The practical success of the plantation was great, and for the first time a large part of Ireland was not merely owned by Saxon landlords, but was tilled and farmed by Scottish and Protestant farmers". (Ency. Brit.) Our conjecture then is, that during this period, the early part of the 17th century, a number of Galts migrated from Ayrshire across to Ireland—a distance of fifty to one hundred miles only.

But by the beginning of the 18th century serious trouble arose. A "Penal Code" was passed by the "Episcopal Ascendancy" (Church of England party) about 1702. This was aimed against the Irish Catholics, but the feeling against the Presbyterians was almost as strong in the Episcopalian Ascendancy. From this time onward the Protestant Scotch were subjected to most harassing limitations and restrictions, religious and other, which at times amounted to direct persecution. Insurrections took place, and for several decades the political conditions in the North of Ireland were akin to anarchy. This was the period of extensive migrations to America, to be treated later.

As to the particular history of Galts in North Ireland we also lack information. We know that Robert Galt, ancestor of





the "Pennsylvania Galts" left Ireland in 1710. And there are traditions in the families of the "Virginia Galts" that their ancestor migrated from the North of Ireland. Miss Mary M. Galt has written:

"A tradition says that our Covenanter ancestor lived on 'raw-hides and rats' in the siege of Londonderry in North Ireland. My grandfather, William B. Galt, believed, I think, that our ancestor came to Virginia immediately from Coleraine. All that part of Ireland is, of course, Scottish and Protestant."

Also there is evidence that there were Galts in North Ireland recently. Miss Mary M. Galt told the writer (in January, 1936) that in 1910, in company with her aunt, she visited the North of Ireland, and found living at Ballysally House, Coleraine, a certain Major William Howard Curtis Galt. He owned a large handsome house which was rented out. In a cemetery near by there were graves of a number of Galts. At Miss Galt's suggestion the present writer wrote to Major Galt, but the letter was returned. A second letter, to the Rector of the local church, also brought no response. So at the present time the writer has not found evidence that there are Galts still in the North of Ireland.

Since writing the above we have received from a friend a newspaper clipping with a report concerning the "Doagh Sabbath School" in the North of Ireland which makes this statement: "The School was founded in 1770 by a William Gault, and was therefore the first Sabbath school in Ireland". The friend writes that she does not know of any Galts in the North of Ireland at the present time.





#### IV. THE GALTS IN PENNSYLVANIA

We have already referred briefly to the conditions in North Ireland in the early part of the 18th century which lead to extensive emigrations. W. E. H. Lecky, in his *History of Ireland in the 18th Century*, describes the conditions thus:

“The conduct of Lord Donegal brought the misery of the Ulster peasantry to a climax, and in a short time many thousands of ejected tenants, banded together under the name ‘Steel-boys’, were in arms. They were mainly, at first almost exclusively, Presbyterians. Their distress was much greater than that of the ‘Oakboys’ who preceded them, and, as is usually the case, their violence was proportioned to their distress. . . . The complete subsidence of this formidable insurrection in the North . . . is to be largely attributed to the great Protestant emigration which had been taking place in Ulster. The way had been opened, and the ejected tenantry who formed the Steel-boy bands and who escaped the sword and the gallows fled by thousands to America”.

Another writer says:

“We know why these sturdy Scotch Irish people left the North of Ireland. At home they were forced to pay for the support of the English Church system, and they had to have their marriages solemnized by Anglican ministers. Also they were excluded from office and taxed very heavily and hampered by laws which crushed their manufactures. So they, like so many others, sought a land of freedom and opportunity in Penn’s new colony”.





Robert Galt, who migrated from Ireland in 1709 or 1710, apparently escaped the worst of the conditions just described by being among the first to leave. The region to which he came, later known as Pennsylvania, was acquired by William Penn in 1681. And that part which became Lancaster county was settled by three groups of colonists: Welsh Quakers, Germans or German Swiss, and Scotch Irish. Apparently the three groups arrived at almost the same time. Later a controversy arose as to who was first. In preparation for the bicentenary of the settlement of Lancaster County (1910) a committee was appointed to investigate and decide the question of priority. The decision was in favor of the Germans, or Mennonites, but the year was fixed as 1710, the same year in which Robert Galt arrived.

The account of the early years of the Galt family in Lancaster County from which the extracts given below are quoted, was prepared by John Buyers to be read at a picnic of Galts and their relatives held in Sterling, Illinois, and published in the "Sterling Evening Gazette", August, 1895.

"Robert Galt, the founder of the Galt family in the United States was of Scotch Irish descent and a Presbyterian in creed. He immigrated from the North of Ireland with his son-in-law, William Wilson and his grandson, Robert Armour, about 1710. They landed at New Castle, Delaware. Leaving his family at that place he went into the Colony of Pennsylvania, in a N. W. direction, for a distance of about 50 miles, and striking Pequea Creek, which drains the beautiful valley of the same name, he explored it until he found a suitable tract of land on which there was a large spring of excellent water. . . ."

At this point another account says:

"He selected a spot at the head-waters of one of the branches of the Pequea Creek. He went back to New Castle for his family, but on his return could not find the place, and located





on a well watered tract futher north". (Klein: History of Lancaster County).

The original account continues: "Robert Galt was probably well advanced in life when he settled in his new home. . . . How many sons he had is now unknown, but they were all probably well grown and able to assist him in clearing his land, building, farming, etc.

"One of his sons, James, married a Miss Alison. To them five sons were born. They were named Robert, John, William, James and Thomas. Of the history of Robert we know nothing. William married but left no children, And John remained a bachelor. These two, William and John, built what has for more than a hundred years been known as Galts' Old Mill, and they did most of the work themselves.

"Thomas, the other brother, married Miss Isabel Wilson and . . . went west to Cumberland Valley, and founded a home, said to be not very far from Carlisle. . . ."

But trouble arose with the Indians and Thomas and his family had to return. The narrative continues:

"William and John, the brothers of Thomas, seem to have prospered in their business, for they purchased a tract of land in Conestoga valley, about three miles N. E. of the village of New Holland. On this tract Thomas and his family lived after losing their home in Cumberland Valley. . . . He was a godly man and had a good Christian wife. . . . They were members of the Pequea Presbyterian Church, and enjoyed the ministrations of Dr. Robert Smith who ministered to that church for 42 years. . . .

"That Christian education was dear to the heart of Thomas is proven by the record now preserved in the archives of Princeton University setting forth that Thomas Galt of Pequea church had pledged so many pounds per year to the support of Dr.





John Witherspoon, the noble patriot, and President of Princeton College." Thomas Galt and his wife, Isabel, had two sons, James and Alexander—

"Alexander married, I think, a Miss Gilkeson. They had two sons, William and John and a daughter, Isabel. . . . John Galt emigrated to Michigan and William remained on the old farm. The descendants of Alexander are that branch of the family known as "the Hill Galts" because they lived among the foothills of the Welsh Mountains.

"James Galt, the other son . . . married when thirty or over Miss Mary Martin. This is the couple from whom we have all descended".

The following is taken from a section on *Mills*, in Klein's History of Lancaster County:

"The Gault family was among the earliest to settle in Salisbury Township. In the Pequea tax-list of 1720-21 appear the names of James and Robert Gault: James was the son, They came from Ireland and 'are supposed to have settled about 1710', on the head-waters of the Pequea. . . . Here he purchased a large tract of land and the Gault family still own part of the original tract. One of his family erected the mill known as Galt's (or Gault's) Mill. Robert Gault was one of the founders of the Pequea Presbyterian Church".

The Pequea Church was organized in 1724 by Adam Boyd, who had recently come from Ireland. It is said that descendants of the Galts have been members of this church from the beginning down to the present—200 years or more.

There is a reference above to a contribution to Princeton College by Thomas Galt. Regarding this matter the *New York Observer* for November 26th, 1896, says:

"Among those present at the sesquicentennial of Princeton were members of a family closely connected with its early





history. Mr. Thomas Galt, a member of the old Pequea Church enjoyed the ministrations of Dr. Robert Smith, father of Rev. Samuel Smith, afterward the President of Princeton College. . . . The family history says that the record of Princeton College shows that 'Thomas Galt pledged a certain number of pounds for the support of Dr. Witherspoon . . . the President of Princeton College. . . . Now after many years the descendants of this same Thomas Galt are enjoying the benefit of this investment—George McF. Galt, class of 1893, Thomas Galt, Jr., Class of 1896, and Thomas Galt of St. Louis, class of 1899".

Regarding Thomas Galt, of the early Pequea Church, and his descendants, we have another account, "Extracts from a History of the Cedar Grove Presbyterian Church and Congregation of East Earl township, Lancaster Co., Penn., by the Rev. John Leamon, M. D., which was read before the Congregation on the day their church edifice, as remodeled, was dedicated, Aug. 31, 1858".

"One of the most pious men of the church in this vicinity in the days of Dr. Smith, was Thomas Galt. His grandfather, Mr. Robert Galt, emigrated from Ireland to this county at some period between 1700 and 1710. . . . Mr. Robert Galt, was one of the first immigrants to that portion of the Pequea valley and was one of the founders of the Presbyterian Church of Pequea. A short time after his arrival his wife departed this life and as there was no church or graveyard within the distance of many miles, he buried her on his farm. This is the origin of the graveyard near the house of Mr. William Galt". . . . "This is the land now in the possession of Mr. William Galt and John Robinson, Esq., elders of the church of Pequa".

"Mr. Thomas Galt, like his ancestors, was a member of the Presbyterian church. Twenty-two years he attended the preaching of Dr. Smith at Pequa, and four at the Run. He was





a bright example of a true disciple of Jesus Christ. . . . He died June 30, 1779. Among the mourners that followed his body to the grave was his son James, a young man of twenty-two years of age. James was born in 1757, near the time at which his parents fled from the Indians on the banks of the Conondaguinett [Cumberland Valley] to the Conestoga Valley. He had been trained by the pious precepts and example of his father to tread in his steps. . . . He and Mr. George Thomson were elected to the eldership in 1796. . . .

“At last this worthy elder, in a good old age was called away from the sanctuary on earth, we trust, to that in heaven. . . . He died October 7, 1821, at the age of sixty-four years. . . . The property on which he lived is now in the hands of his son Alexander, a member of this church. On his decease he left to his family six hundred acres of land in the immediate vicinity of the homestead”.

A copy of the will of James Galt, furnished to the writer by Miss Caroline M. Galt, great grand-daughter of James Galt, is in hand, and possesses some interesting features. It is in great detail, and covers five hand-written sheets. James Galt had ten children, five sons and five daughters. The money left to the daughters amounted to \$19,055, and the value of the real estate, in five equal parts for the five sons, was probably not less—making an estate of the value of about \$40,000. James Galt's provision for his wife is perhaps most interesting, and parts are quoted below. Evidently James Galt was more successful in business, than he was in spelling!

“I give to my well beloved wife Mary as much of any houses we posses as she chooses to live in during her natural life. I give her two beds, bedclose and bedsted of the best in the house. I give her all her cubert and ketchen firnetur whatever. I give her one stove, six chares and one arnechare. I give her





the largest locking glass in the house, the hand irons, shovel and tongs belonging to the palar the best carpet in the house. I give her two tabels, the best in the house. I give her the use of the eight day clock in the house, my other eight day clock I give to my son william, at the death of my wife I give the clock to my son James and I do order my executors to give wife as much mele of evrey sort as she stans in need of as much meat of everey sort as she wants and fishis as she wants. I give her as much sider as she wants when there is appels. I give her firewood sufient cut at the door. And furdur I give to my well beloved wife the sume of one thousand six hundred dollars to be due to her one year after my deces. I give my Mary the two stand of curtins belonging to the two beds. I give to my wife all the carpets which ma be in the house at my decese, and I do order and direct my executors to keep my wife in milk and butter as she stans in need of. I give my wife the gig we now have".

The will was dated January 15th, 1821, and the three sons William, James and John were executors.

We now return to the account of the family by Rev. John Leamon:

"In the autumn of 1826, five years after the death of Elder James Galt, his son Thomas, in a severe spell of fever, gave his heart to God. When he recovered from his illness he resolved to dedicate himself to the service of his divine Master in the Gospel ministry. Having received a classical and Theological education he was licensed in 1835 to preach the gospel. He is now [1858] the pastor of a Presbyterian church in Sangamon county, Illinois".

This Rev. Thomas Galt (grandfather of the present writer) became the progenitor of a number of Galt families in Illinois, Iowa and Missouri.





In the autumn of 1935 the writer had an opportunity to visit the ancestral home in Pennsylvania, and a few days later wrote an account of the experience. Although the account is in much detail, and rather personal, perhaps it has enough of interest to be inserted here.

A Visit to the Galt Ancestral Home  
Lancaster County, Pennsylvania  
Nov. 9 1935

Driving eastward by moter car through southern Pennsylvania on the Lincoln Highway we approached Gettysburg on the morning of November eighth. Passing through the city and turning nothward we proceeded to Biglerville, less than ten miles distant. After some inquiry we found the home of Cousin Carrie (Mrs. Charles Lindtwed) and were welcomed by an expectant and cordial group.

Cousin Annabel was there present, as she makes her home with her sister Carrie, and Cousin Margaret and her husband (Mr. Eckles) were also there. These two had been invited by telephone on the previous day from their home near Carlisle. Thus the total group of nine (including a sister of Mr. Lindtwed) comprised five missionaries, three from Siam and two from China. In the lively conversations of the occasion there were many reminiscences of Galt family history and of experiences in foreign lands.

After the bountiful lunch had been disposed of two moter cars were mobilized and the group paid a visit to the famous Gettsburg National Park and Cemetery. This visit was an extremely interesting one, but there is no occasion to describe it here.

Starting the latter part of the afternoon we continued our





journey eastward, passed through York, crossed the Susquehanna River, and spent the night in the city of Lancaster, county-seat of Lancaster County.

The next morning, equipped with detailed road maps, and with information gathered from the cousins the day before, we started for Terre Hill. Following New Holland Avenue out of the city, and in a northeasterly direction, we passed through New Holland and on to Blue Ball. At that point we turned north, and following a well-paved but winding road, came to Terre Hill, not many miles distant.

An inquiry from a milkman, on main street, brought immediate information as to the location of the Galt farm, owned by our cousin Frances Galt. Going west on main street, we passed the hotel, on our left, and then turned southward and again westward, down a hill, past a small school-house, then on in a westerly direction to the second farm-house on our left, hardly more than half a mile from the main street of the town.

The appearance of the house seemed to correspond with the milk-man's description, so stopping the car by the roadside, I started for the house. The barking of a dog suggested caution and soon a colored man appeared at the side-door.

"Does Miss Frances Galt live here?" I asked.

"Yes", he replied and turned back into the house.

In a moment a lady appeared. "Is this Miss Galt?" I asked.

"Yes", she replied.

"My name is Galt", I answered", and I would like to speak with you."

She then invited me in, and after mutual introductions and explanations we found that we were second cousins,—her grandfather, Alexander, and my grandfather, Thomas, being brothers, both sons of James (4th generation in America).





At this point I mentioned Louise and Sheffield, waiting in the car by the roadside. Cousin Frances invited me to bring them in at once, and shortly after this was done another cousin appeared, Sarah E., sister of Frances, who lives with her.

After further conversation Cousin Frances put through a long-distance telephone call to Cousin Tom (son of Father's brother, Thomas,) who lives near Elkton, Maryland, (about 50 miles distant) with two sisters, and invited him to come for lunch.

We had not proceeded very far on topics of family history when Cousin Frances brought out a desk drawer of family archives for us to study. Among other interesting documents she had the will of Thomas Galt (dated Jan. 16, 1781) 3rd generation in America, father of James, and our great-great-grandfather. Another interesting record was a copy of a Sterling, Ills., newspaper dated Aug. 1895, reporting a Galt family picnic at Sterling, and containing extensive quotations from a paper giving the history of the Galt family in America, read at this time.

Toward noon Cousin Tom arrived, having driven in his car from Elkton. Cousin Sarah prepared the lunch (Cousin Frances was slightly lame from a recent fall) and it was a very jovial and interesting group which gathered round the table. Cousin Frances and Sarah were particularly entertaining with their many stories of Galt family affairs.

Immediately after lunch Cousin Sarah had to leave to meet another cousin expected on the train. The rest of us continued our visit for a time. I took my camera and photographed the farm buildings, from a point in a pasture across the road.

This farm, it should be noted, has been in Galt hands for several generations. It belonged to our great-grandfather James, passing from him to his son Alexander, from whom it





passed to his son John Showalter, the father of Cousin Frances who is the present owner.

After taking the photograph I spent a few minutes inspecting the barn. This was evidently an old and very substantial structure, with frame work of heavy hard wood beams and posts. Within the barn were capacious stalls and pens, especially arranged for the accommodation of dairy cows. Overhead were great spaces for the storage of hay and other feed. On the south side there was a broad "over-hang" of the upper story of the structure, forming a shed for the protection of animals in the barn-yard. The whole structure was more massive and more substantial than the typical barn of the middle west.

The house, built of grey stone, and partly covered with cement was also large and strongly built. Cousin Frances showed us about through the many rooms, upstairs and down, many of them with the furniture and decorations which had belonged to earlier Galt families. Cousin Frances explained that she rents the farm out, only retaining the house as a residence for her sister and herself.

About the middle of the afternoon we took our departure, Cousin Tom promising to drive ahead in his car and guide us to the Pequea Presbyterian Church, and to the original Galt farm and family cemetery, regarding which we had been seeking information.

The route took us south to Blue Ball, then on southward to the east and west highway which runs through the village of White Horse.

At a point in the road perhaps one mile west of White Horse, the junction point being marked (but not conspicuously) by an old mill, we turned north and followed a winding road for a few miles to the Pequea church site. We dismounted from our cars and examined the church building (apparently of





not very ancient construction, and in good repair) and the church cemetery near by. This church (later investigations showed) was organized by a young minister named Adam Boyd in 1724, fourteen years after the pioneer Robert Galt had occupied a farm near by. And records state that Robert Galt and his son James were prominent in the movement to establish the church here, and that subsequently members of the Galt family were numerous in the church membership.

I took a photograph of the church, and inquired of a neighbor nearby the location of the Galt family cemetery. At this time we bade farewell to Cousin Tom, who, having to meet another engagement, on the return journey, started homeward,

We then resumed our course northward following the winding road, passing an old country store by the roadside, and turning down the second sideroad to the left. Proceeding a few hundred yards downhill we passed a little wood, and a small stream, beyond which, on our left was the object of our search. We had come about one and one-half miles from the church corner.

From the high-way the little stone-walled cemetery was visible, being situated uphill from the farm buildings and behind the orchard.

The cemetery was in the form of a rectangle, perhaps sixty by seventy-five feet in size, the enclosing wall being not more than four feet high, with a single gateway on the east side, next to the highway—from which it was distant not much more than one hundred yards.

It was apparent that the cemetery had long been neglected, the ground being over-grown with thorns and vines, and many of the gravestones were aslant or recumbent upon the ground. The area was well-filled with graves, the total number approximating one hundred.





There was not time to make detailed investigations, but the earliest date of burial noted was 1798, and the latest 1892. Most note-worthy was the spelling of the names, which, in all cases noted *except one*, was G-a-u-l-t.

After taking a photograph of the cemetery (none too clear, because of the fading of the day light) we returned to the car, which had been parked in the drive-way, and in turning around in an open space near the barn, we noted the farm buildings. They were much in dis-repair, especially the house, a wooden structure of considerable age and in need of paint. Apparently only a part of the house was occupied—perhaps by the reticent man whom we observed engaged in farm-work about the place.

Taking our departure, we retraced our course, passing again the Pequea church, and following the highway southward until it joined the Lincoln Highway (Route No. 30). We followed this eastward to the suburbs of Philadelphia, where we stopped for the night.

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It may be noted that the farm, the visit to which is narrated above, now in the possession of Miss Frances S. Galt, was the property, or part of it, referred to in the will of James Galt.

The dispersion of Galts from Lancaster County is a subject with many complications, and no complete account can be attempted, because of the lack of data. But concerning two or three migrations to Illinois we have some information.

Rev. Thomas Galt, referred to above at the end of the paper by Rev. John Leamon, who was licensed to preach in 1835, went west that same year to Peoria, Illinois, and was appointed by the Board of Missions to be pastor of a Presbyterian church





there organized the preceding year. Soon after, perhaps in 1836, Thomas Galt became pastor of a church at Farmingdale, a suburb of Springfield. There he reared a family of five sons. The eldest, James, migrated to Nebraska, and later to Missouri; the second, John, remained in Springfield; the third, Martin, moved to Iowa; the fourth, Thomas, became a minister and for a long period was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Aurora, Illinois; the fifth, Elijah, made his home in St. Louis.

Another migration was from Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, to Sterling, Illinois. Mary Galt, daughter of James Galt, and sister of Rev. Thomas Galt of the above paragraph, married Hugh Wallace, and a few years later, in 1837, they removed to Whiteside County, Illinois, and were pioneer settlers of the city of Sterling, the name of which was chosen by Mr. Wallace. The journey from Pennsylvania was by way of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. The Wallaces built a large stone house in Sterling, the timbers of which were hauled by ox-cart from Chicago. During the subsequent years "families from Pennsylvania, arriving by the score as the years rolled around, found a hearty welcome in the Wallace home." Mr. Wallace was largely instrumental in securing the right of way through Sterling of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad. He was twice elected to the State legislature. In the city of Sterling a Wallace Block, a Wallace School, a Wallace Street and a Wallace Park, serve as memorials to the pioneer family.

In 1844 a third migration westward took place, the head of the family being the third one of James Galt's children to leave the ancestral home. The following paragraphs describing the journey are taken from a pamphlet, printed about 1926, entitled "A Family Moves Westward" the narrative being "as told by Elizabeth M. Galt, a member of the family, to her neice Mary Buyers, in the winter of 1925-26". Elizabeth M. Galt





was eleven years old at the time the migration took place and nine-two years old when she told the story to her niece.

“In the month of May, in the year 1844, John Galt and his wife, Sarah Maria Buyers Galt, with their ten children, emigrated from Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, to Whiteside County, Illinois. . . . John Galt was a prosperous farmer merchant and mill-owner in Lancaster County, but Illinois appealed to him. His sister, Mrs. Hugh Wallace, with her husband, had been living in Sterling, Whiteside County, Illinois, since 1837, and, while on a visit to her home, he became impressed with the opportunities in the new country. . . . In Pennsylvania he owned a farm on which were located a grist mill, a saw mill, a store building in which he conducted a country general store, a farm house, tenant house and barns. For the grist mill, which ran the year around, he hired a miller who occupied the blue limestone tenant house. He gave his attention more particularly to the management of the store and the farm. The big blue limestone house had six bedrooms on the second floor and one on the first floor. On the first floor were also a parlor, large living room, kitchen and wash-room. Great must have been the faith of John Galt and his wife in the possibilities of Illinois, and great was their courage, to leave behind them comfort and a measure of prosperity, to brave the privations and uncertainties of the new country. . . .

Just about three weeks were required for the journey. Father, mother and seven of the children were driven to Lancaster in the carriages of William and Alexander Galt, brothers of the father. . . . From Lancaster to Harrisburg the journey was continued by rail, Harrisburg being the farthest point west on the Pennsylvania Railroad at that time. The next conveyance was a canal boat on the Pennsylvania canal from Harrisburg to Pittsburg. . . .





"While the canal boat was in progress the three oldest sons were enroute to Pittsburg travelling overland. The family carriage was to be brought along and the boys were to bring it. A black horse by the name of "Jim", was given to James and Alexander by their Uncle Alex, and with this horse hitched to the double carriage, James, Robert and Thomas were started out two or three days ahead of the rest of the family, to drive from home over the Alleghany Mountains to Pittsburg, there to meet the rest and go on the journey down the Ohio by river boat. . . .

"Once they were all together, grandfather moved his family onto the boat to save further hotel bills, and a day or so later the boat started on its journey down the Ohio, its terminal port being St. Louis. The steamer, named "The National", was much more commodious than the canal boat. Horse and carriage were loaded on the same boat. . . .

"At St. Louis the family changed, without a break in the journey, onto a steamer going up the Mississippi as far as Minneapolis and St. Paul. On this boat they journeyed to Albany, Illinois. At Albany there lived two families who were friends of the Wallace family in Sterling. Uncle Hugh Wallace had told them of the Pennsylvania relatives who were coming, and the Macks and Happers met the boat. They took the Galts to their homes for the night—true frontier hospitality.

"The next day James drove the horse to Sterling, taking his mother and the smallest children in the carriage with him. His father and the oldest children rode all the way in the lumber wagon on which their trunks were loaded.

"The trip overland took most of the day. . . . A turn to the south and they reached the Wallace home, on the river bank. . . . Uncle Hugh had engaged for them a small frame house near by. The big family lived in these cramped quarters for two years during which grandfather brought a large tract





of land about three miles west of Sterling and built the red brick farm house into which they moved as soon as it was completed. Seven years later the railroad came through the farm, and the land on which the Galt station stands was purchased from grandfather. His name was given to the station and to the little town which grew up around it.

"Many years later, Frances, who was the baby on their arrival in Sterling, lived a part of her married life in the old red brick Galt house, she then being Mrs. John Buyers. Her three children were born in the old house, the writer and her two younger brothers".

Here we may note that Sterling became a large center for the Galts and their relatives. The present writer visited the city in 1909 and was told that in the Presbyterian church there, with a membership of over four hundred, one half or more of the membership consisted of Galts or their connections. Most prominent of the group was Thomas A. Galt, who was interested in family history and in 1910 issued a small pamphlet recording the genealogy of the family.

With respect to the dispersion of the Galts from Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, we have reported only the westward migration to Illinois. We know that there was dispersion in other directions also, toward Philadelphia and New York, especially, but we lack data for any account of these movements. The writer's visit to Lancaster County in 1935 seemed to indicate that the number of Galts remaining near the ancestral home was not large.





## V. THE GALTS IN VIRGINIA

### I. The Eastern Virginia Galts

Information regarding the Galts in Virginia—especially the “Eastern Virginia” Galts—has come to the writer chiefly from Miss Mary Meares Galt, at the present time Assistant Professor of French in the American University, Washington, D. C. The writer called on Miss Galt in Washington in January, 1936, and, besides other information, received from her a very complete genealogical chart of the Eastern Virginia Galts. In correspondence with Galts in Canada and in Scotland we find quotations from letters written by Miss Galt as far back as 1907. A recent letter from Miss Galt refers to those early letters thus: “You refer to letters of mine written long ago, in 1907. These were, I think, written as the amanuensis of my aunt, the artist, Mary Jeffery Galt, oldest sister of my father, and our family genealogist”.

However matters may have been then, Miss Mary Meares Galt is evidently much interested in the family history at the present time and the writer is much indebted to her for a wide range of information.

With respect to the lack of more complete historical records of the family Miss Galt writes, “The earliest history of this family in Virginia is not yet complete, owing to the great damage done to records in the older counties, during the three great wars in which Tidewater Virginia suffered invasion,





When Richmond was burned during the civil war, the flames destroyed the records of fourteen of the oldest counties, sent to the capital for safe-keeping”.

The first progenitor of the Eastern Virginia Galts was Samuel Galt, who was known to have been living in Elizabeth City County, Virginia, in 1730 or 1735. Regarding the origin of Samuel Galt we quote from a letter written in 1907 by Miss Mary M. Galt to Dr. Alexander Galt, of Edinburgh, Scotland, which letter is quoted by him in a letter to the present writer written Feb. 12, 1936.

“The Galts of Eastern Virginia have always been known as one of the Scotch-Irish families of the state. Doctor Dunlop, the friend of John Galt, the writer, in writing to my great grandfather’s brother, Colonel Patrick Galt, of the U. S. Army in 1830, said that about 1680 two brothers, William and John Galt, were banished by order of the Privy Council because they were Covenanters. One of them returned to Scotland after the Revolution of 1688 and was the ancestor of John Galt, the writer. The other, Dr. Dunlop says, was the ancestor of my great great uncle, Colonel Galt,

“In the Royal Proclamation of 1685 William Galt of the Wark Mill in Wark and John Galt in ~~Gateside~~ were outlawed. Their names are given under the heading ‘Stewartown’. In the summer of the same year John Galt was banished and sent to Port Royal, Carolina, in the ship of Captain Gibson. These last items I learn from Woodrow and other histories. Doctor Dunlop, in his letter to Colonel Galt, says that these two brothers were banished along with Lord Cardross. The colony of Port Royal was that of Lord Cardross, and it was broken up in 1686 by the Spaniards. We do not know what became of this John Galt. In his ‘Literary Life’ John Galt, the writer, says that he doubts not that this John Galt was the ancestor of





Colonel Galt. If this be so we do not know what became of the family between this time and the time we find Samual Galt living in Virginia about 1730. We think John Galt went to Ireland, because there is a tradition in our family that our ancestor fought at Londonderry and that the family came to Virginia direct from Coleraine. In that case Samual must have been the son of John and must have been the first Galt to come to Virginia. The late Sir Alexander Galt, son of John Galt, the writer, claimed relationship with my grandfather".

In Appendix I of the book "John Galt," by Jennie W. Aberdeen, already referred to, there is an account of the banishment of the two Galts to Carolina, as follows (Pp. 195-6):

"The fact of this banishment is corroborated by the Register of the Privy Council of Scotland, 1684. 'Bond by Walter Gibsone, merchant in Glasgow with Mr. William Dunlop [N. B. an ancestor of "Tiger" Dunlop with whom the author John Galt was associated in Canada nearly a hundred and fifty years later] in dweller in Edinburgh as cautioner, in the usual terms for transporting to America certain persons sentenced by the Commissioners of Judiciary at Glasgow on 17th and 20th June 1684 to banishment, under the penalty of 1,000 merks each; with clauses of relief and registration.' Among the twenty-six prisoners mentioned is John Galt, 'theiker there' (i. e. in Irvine), 'all prisoners in the tolbooth of Glasgow, who are to be carried in shackles and put aboard the said Walter's ship called the Pelican in the Clyde'. Galt [John Galt, the writer] mentions that the William of Wark proscribed at the same time as John of Gateside in the Proclamation of Charles II, 1684, was a relative. 'This proclamation was printed by Anderson at Edinburgh in 1684; it contains orders that no one shall give aid to the rebels, the list of whom is twenty-six pages long, and under Stewartoun we find the names: William





Galt. at the Walkmiln of Wark; John Galt in Gateside.

"A reference in the *Commisariat of Glasgow*, 1 June, 1682 to William Galt of Walkmylne, Fairlie, Crivoch, Stewartoune, is no donbt to the same person.

"These two men, John of Gateside and William of Wark, are believed by the author's family to have been great-grand uncles of his. Whether both actually went to America I have not been able to ascertain. The *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magizine*, April, 1900, gives evidence of descendants of one or other.

"The descendants given are mainly doctors and philanthropists; the writer is not sure whether they are descendants of William or John".

Such investigations as we have been able to make among Scottish and Canadian Galt connections do not add any important data to the above statements. Accordingly these accounts must stand as the best we have of the origin of the Eastern Virginia Galts.

Samual Galt known as residing in Virginia, Elizabeth City County, near Old Point Comfort, in 1730 (1735 ?) was twice married. The name of his first wife is not known but we have some information regarding the descendants from that union. A grandson, Gabriel Galt (b. 1748) was a prominent pioneer in Richmond, Virginia, and had something to do with the removal of the state capital from Williamsburg to Richmond during Revolutionary War times.

We found the account of this in a visit to the State Library in Richmond in January of this year. The book containing the account was entitled, "Richmond, Her Past and Present", by W. Asbury Christian, and published in 1912. According to the record there was fear that Williamsburg, situated near the Atlantic coast, might be in danger from the Brittish forces, so, in





1779, after a decision to move the capital had been made, there was an advertisement in a Williamsburg paper for bids for the erection of the new capitol building in Richmond, and plans for the building were to be "lodged" in the hands of one, Gabriel Galt, in Richmond. Later the first city election in Richmond was held and Gabriel Galt was one of the supervisors. Still later, in 1785, a site for the erection of the first Masons' Hall was purchased from Gabriel Galt. The city tavern was also kept by him.

Samuel Galt's second wife was Lucy Ballard Cleiland, her first husband, James Cleiland having died in 1735. From this marriage, which took place "before 1739" there were three sons and one daughter, and from these chiefly the Eastern Virginia Galts are descended.

In the William and Mary College Quarterly, Vol. VIII, there is an account of the family under the title, "Galt Family of Williamsburg". From this account we quote some paragraphs giving interesting facts about three famous doctors—father, son, and grandson—in the family:

"Dr. John M. Galt (son of Samuel Galt) was born in 1744, and died in 1808. He was educated at William and Mary College, and received his medical education in Edinburgh and Paris in 1765-1767. He was for a time surgeon in the Hudson's Bay Company, but gave up the position and returned to Williamsburg and began there the practice of medicine. He married Miss Judith Craig. . . . Dr. John M. Galt was attending physician to the Hospital for the Insane at Williamsburg (the first hospital exclusively for the insane in the United States). He was vestryman of the Bruton Parish Church and one of the Board of Directors for William and Mary College. In 1774 he was one of the Committee of Williamsburg. He was a prominent surgeon during the war and was in the siege





of Yorktown: was senior field surgeon of Virginia troops at the end of the war. . . . He was a philanthropist, and compounded and gave to the patients of the insane hospital all medicines used by them after he was appointed their visiting physician. He had a very large practice in Williamsburg and the adjacent counties. . . .

“Mr. James Galt, oldest brother of Dr. John M. Galt, was asked by the Court of Directors to take charge of the Hospital for the Insane. He agreed to do so, and took charge of the institution on September 14, 1773, the day it was pronounced finished. He had had the advantages of education and travel and was noted for his integrity and later for his patriotism. He was lieutenant in the Williamsburg militia during the war. The Hospital was suspended for lack of funds towards the latter part of the war. When it was reopened after the war, Mr. James Galt was again appointed keeper and superintendent, which position he held until his death in 1800. He was succeeded by his son, William T. Galt, who held the position for twenty-six years—to the time of his death. He was mayor of Williamsburg when Lafayette made his second visit to America, and received him officially when he visited the old city.

“Dr. Alexander D. Galt, son of Dr. John M. Galt, was born in 1771 in Williamsburg and was educated at William and Mary College, and at Oxford, England. He was also a private pupil of Sir Astley Cooper and attended the London Hospitals 1792-94. He was associated with his father and succeeded him as physician to the Hospital for the Insane. His private practice was even larger than his father's. He too was a philanthropist, and the poor thought he was paid by the state to attend them. He was also one of the Board of Directors of William and Mary College, and was a distinguished surgeon in the War of 1812. He married his cousin, Miss Mary D. Galt [daughter





of Gabriel Galt, descendant of Samuel Galt by his first wife].

“Dr. John M. Galt, the second, was the son of Dr. Alexander D. Galt and succeeded him as ‘Superintendent’ of the Hospital for the Insane. The Board of Directors waited a number of months until he was graduated to offer him the position, so well was his ability recognized and appreciated. He was educated at the William and Mary College and at the Medical School of Philadelphia. He too, like his father and grandfather, was a philanthropist. He refused many times to allow his salary to be raised; fed many of the patients from his table, etc. He was a great scholar—spoke and understood more than twenty languages. He searched literature for anything bearing on the insane, and was the first to recognize the value of employment in their treatment. He loved and pitied the insane, and when in May, 1862, the Union troops took possession of the town and hospital and he was not allowed to enter the hospital, his anxiety about the patients was so great that he could neither eat nor sleep for several days and nights, and it is thought that this caused his death. The Hospital for the Insane was in the care of the Galts for nearly a hundred years.

“At the annual meeting of the American Medico-Psychological Association, which met in Baltimore in 1897, the President, Dr. T. O. Powell, said of Dr. John M. Galt in his address: ‘Such a calamity was his death that we yet feel his loss’”.

Regarding the wife of Gabriel Galt, referred to in an earlier paragraph, there is an interesting story of the Revolutionary War period, related to the present writer by Miss Mary M. Galt:

“When Lord Cornwallis’ army was in possession of Richmond the British Commander forbade all looting, on pain of death. A British soldier however broke into the Galts’ smoke-house and stole all the hams and bacon—a dreadful loss in





war time. He was caught and sentenced to die at sunrise. When Mrs. Galt heard this she took her baby in her arms and went 'alone' (which in those days in Virginia meant with only her colored maid) to the British camp, insisted on seeing the General and with tears in her eyes begged him to spare the life of the robber. This was granted."

This Mrs. Gabriel Galt was the mother of the wife of Dr. Alexander D. Galt, second of the three Galt doctors connected with the Hospital for the Insane at Williamsburg.

Paragraphs quoted above recount the services of the three prominent physicians connected with the Hospital for the Insane. Many other doctors are to be found among the descendants of the Eastern Virginia Galts. Notes prepared for the History Committee of the Virginia Medical Society record at least twelve physicians and surgeons of Galt family connections, most of them bearing the name Galt.

In inspecting the family records one is also impressed by the number of men who became prominent in military careers. We have noted four such in the navy, twelve in the army and four who were surgeons in the navy or the army. In this respect there would seem to be a contrast with the Pennsylvania Galts.

Another point of contrast may be noted. Although the Eastern Virginia Galts were of Scotch-Irish stock, Covenanters and Presbyterians, yet in Williamsburg we find them connected with the Church of England, and subsequently with the American Episcopal church. Apparently this change of faith took place soon after the original migration.

In choosing for special mention a few persons among the Eastern Virginia Galts, we notice first an educator, William Richard Galt (1818-1892. No. 51 in the genealogical list). He is described as a "distinguished M. A. of the University of





Virginia, a scholar of rare erudition and an authority on local history". The *Norfolk Virginian* of August 21, 1866, records that William R. Galt "has in his own scholarship not only been an ornament and credit to this great school, but by his pen and personal influence a great friend to her in her recent financial embarrassments". The "school" referred to is of course the University of Virginia. William R. Galt kept a private school in Norfolk. A careful description of this school is to be found in a book called, "Dr. Dillard of the Jeanes Fund" by Benjamin Brawley, and published about 1930 by Fleming Revell. Dillard was one of Schoolmaster Galt's pupils, and the book reprints an article by Dr. Dillard about the school published in the *Sewanee Review* of October, 1921. From the book we quote:

"Mr. Galt was a most capable schoolmaster, and he represented in eminent degree the classical culture of the South. He had the ability really to read Latin and Greek: he was at ease in French, German, Anglo-Saxon and mathematics: and with his love of truth and his hatred of all that was low and mean, he gave to his students high ideals of character and conduct", Dr. Dillard's account adds: "I think we came as near the realization of the saying about Mark Hopkins and the log as it has ever been the fortune of a set of young fellows to experience. The man explained it. He was a remarkable combination of a scholar, a teacher and an independent thinker. He had a rubber stamp for his books with a Greek legend from Socrates which said: 'As for me, I think for myself'. He used to tell us that the mind God had given us might not be the best in the world, but it was the one that was given, and it was meant to be used".

A younger brother of William R. Galt was the Sculptor, Alexander Galt (1827-1863. No. 55 in the genealogical list),





For the following account of him and his work we are indebted to Miss Mary M. Galt:

"Alexander Galt, the sculptor, was born in 1827 in Norfolk, Virginia. He was educated in Norfolk at a school where all the lessons were taught in French. His artistic talent was very marked and when he was about twenty-one years old, (1848) his father sent him to Italy for an art education. We have interesting letters written by him at this time. . . . He established himself in Florence and remained there for five years. He then came home for a visit of perhaps a year or so, and then returned to his home in Florence. At the end of a second period of five years he returned to Virginia.

"While he was on this side the war between the states broke out. He offered his services to the Confederacy and was placed on the staff of Governor Letcher of Virginia with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He did valuable work in making drawings for fortifications, etc. In his spare time he continued his work in sculpture and we have some interesting sketches that he made of confederate leaders. Among these is a beautiful likeness of General Stonewall Jackson, which is probably the best likeness ever made of that hero. Alexander Galt contracted smallpox in the camp of General Jackson and died in 1863. Many beautiful works of his were burned in the fire which destroyed Richmond. Fortunately however some of his busts have been preserved elsewhere, in the Supreme Court-room here, and in private houses.

"My sister, Mrs. Paul Welles of Lexington, Virginia, has a copy of the Bacchante, which many people consider his best work. In the home of my uncle, Captain William W. Galt, U. S. N., Norfolk, Virginia, are several beautiful busts and one statuette by Alexander Galt. I have seen also the baptismal font in St. Paul's Church, Richmond. . . . One of the figures





on the font (but not its face) was taken from my grandmother, Mrs. William R. Galt, holding in her lap one of my uncles. Alexander Galt, the sculptor, is buried in Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond."

Some account of the life and work of Alexander Galt may be found in the *Norfolk Ledger-Despatch* of June 19, 1936 (? approximate date).

It is to be noted that the author of the above letter, Miss Mary M. Galt, who has supplied the present writer with so much information, is a grand-daughter of the educator, William R. Galt, and a grand-niece of the sculptor, Alexander Galt. By quoting another paragraph from the letter just quoted we may make suitable mention of another artist in the family, Miss Mary Jeffery Galt, whose letters and notes have contributed much to the present account:

"My great-uncle, the sculptor, never married but the talent for sculpture reappeared in the next generation in the person of his niece, Mary Jeffery Galt. He had planned to educate her in Italy, but he died before she was grown, and the property he left was mostly in Confederate bonds. She was therefore unable to study sculpture and became a portrait painter and teacher of art, until family duties claimed her whole time. In her later years she did two or three beautiful pictures in bas-relief. One of them, a portrait of my grand-father, is in the chapel of the University of Virginia, and has been called superior to any bas-relief St. Gaudens ever made. My aunt died unmarried, and thus far no one else in the Galt family seems to have shown the talent for sculpture".

We may add here the further word that Miss Mary Jeffery Galt was instrumental in starting "The Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities"; which has done much to preserve some of the old historical relics of Virginia.





From the many illuminating notes relative to the history of the Eastern Virginia Galts furnished by Miss Mary M. Galt we select and record here a few items of special interest.

*The Old Galt House.* This house is the oldest in Williamsburg. It existed before the Galts' ancestors came to Virginia, and before Williamsburg became a town. It stood within the original "palisades", and beside it is a building, used as servant's quarters which was originally built as a school for Indians. When the original roof of "heart shingles" was removed from the Galt house about 1820, "Indian arrowheads were found sticking in the roof, mute witness to a long-forgotten combat of the 17th century." Back of it stood the house occupied by Dr. John Minson Galt, the first of the three famous Galt doctors, described above. The "Old Galt House" was occupied by Galts as early as the 1812 war when it was taken possession of by Dr. Alexander Dickie Galt, the second of the Galt physicians. From about the time of his death, in 1840, the house stood unoccupied (except for caretakers) until 1862, when Miss Sarah Maria Galt (familiarily known as "Sally"), sister of Dr. John Minson Galt, (third of the three physicians, who had just died), took possession of it. Here she lived during the disturbing events of the Civil War, and her home was a center of charity for all in need. But at the close of the war she lost most of her income and was in great straits during that trying period. As one source of income she rented out some of the rooms of the large house. Miss Mary Jeffery Galt reports a visit to "Cousin Sally" in this Old Galt House, and seeing in the old Indian School used as the kitchen (which had the largest fireplace she ever saw) "Uncle Alick", a colored servant of advanced age who had served the first Dr. John Minson Galt, and had vivid recollections of having seen "Mars Ginneral Washington riding down the main street in his carriage, all green inside". Among the portraits





on the walls of the house is still one of "four generations", connected with the family of the Gabriel Galt who had moved to Richmond during pre-Revolutionary days. The Old Galt House was occupied by Miss Sarah Maria Galt until her death in 1880. The ownership of the house passed later by will to her cousin John Minson Galt, brother of Mary Jeffery Galt. He deeded the house to his parents, and from them in turn the ownership passed to Miss Mary J. Galt and her sister Anne Alexina, and is in the possession of Miss Anne Galt at the time of the writing of the present notes. Recently many of the historic buildings of Williamsburg have been restored and preserved with special funds donated for the purpose by John D. Rockefeller, Jr. The Old Galt House was one of the few buildings *not* sold to the restoration Commission. Another house, now known as "The Galt Cottage" was secured by the Commission, moved from its original site on the edge of town, and placed on Duke of Gloucester Street opposite the church. This cottage was *part* of the house occupied during the early years of the 19th century by William Trebell Galt, Mayor of Williamsburg. It had long passed out of the ownership of the Galt family.

*Miss Sally Galt.* Many stories are told about this most estimable person—Miss Sarah Maria Galt (No. 71, in the genealogical list) who has been mentioned above. "She was a most extraordinary person. She was the joy of her home and many friends. Educated chiefly by her sister, for so long an invalid, and her sainted mother—in the atmosphere of the professors of the college and their families and the most cultivated of the families of the old city, her poise and charm of manner came naturally to her". . . . "Many instances could be told of the wonderful sweetness of character of Miss Sally. A lady renting one of her rooms told me that one morning a tramp knocked at the front door and when Miss Sally who was near went to the





door he asked for something to eat. She gave him a dry piece of crust, being all she had for her own breakfast. Someone told her later that he had thrown it away as soon as he reached the street. Miss Sally only said very quietly, 'I am glad he did not want it as much as I did'". This was during the period just after the Civil War, when, after the loss of her property she was in such straitened circumstances. A further record states: "I remember Miss Sally was a most devoted Confederate. When they were in or about Williamsburg during the first part of the War when she had plenty of everything . . . she used to visit the sick and wounded soldiers in the Baptist church which was the hospital for the soldiers. She . . . ministered to the Union soldiers as well as to the Confederates. She never concealed her opinions at all after the Union troops held Williamsburg, yet the officers used to come constantly to see her. . . . They seemed to feel that she was one of the wonderfully good of the earth",

Miss Sally's implicit trust in people is well illustrated by the following story:

"Miss Eliza Bowers for many years rented a room in the Old Galt House—until her death. She was the aunt of Judge Hodges Mann, later governor of Virginia. She was a good manager—made her small income go far. She often lamented the lack of shrewdness about money matters in Miss Sally—her great generosity and perfect unselfishness. . . . Miss Eliza's patience was tried almost past endurance one day when she saw Miss Sally spreading a lace collar that she had just washed on a crepe myrtle bush by the front door.

"Oh Sally", she exclaimed, "you ought not to put that pretty collar there. Don't you know any passer-by could step in and take it off."

"I do not believe, Miss Eliza, anyone would rob me",





"Yes they will", was the reply.

"Miss Eliza, there is not a family on this peninsula that has not received benefits and kindnesses from my brother and my father and my grandfather [the three famous physicians],—no one would rob me!"

"Well we will see!"

So the day wore on and in the afternoon Miss Sally went to get her collar, and lo! it was gone. Then was Miss Eliza's time:

"Well Sally, I told you so—somebody has stolen that collar. Didn't I tell you so?"

"Miss Eliza, I do not think anyone would steal it. I do not think it has been stolen."

"Well", said Miss Eliza, "what on earth could have become of it? Lace collars can't walk!"

"I don't know, but I do not believe anyone would steal it from me."

"What do you think then?" continued Miss Eliza.

"Well, maybe a little bird took the collar off to put it in her nest. I do not believe anyone stole it".

Miss Eliza as well as others who heard of the incident felt that it was going too far even for a person so trusting as Miss Sally. "Did you ever hear of such a thing—lace collars don't walk off!" "Just like Miss Sally". etc.—were the comments. So the days and months passed and the incident was almost forgotten. At last after many months came a severe storm blowing down branches of trees. Some boys picked up a bird's nest of the year before, and there in the bottom of it was the lace collar!

*Curtains and Castors.* While Miss Mary Jeffery Galt was visiting Cousin Sally she was told of some curtains hanging at the windows, "They had been sent—the whole bedroom set—





to her grandfather, Dr. John M. Galt, the first, by Lafayette's young officers in memory of hospitality shown them by him. He had entertained them. They had stayed at his home, the large house before us, the grounds of which adjoined Miss Galt's grounds".

"Sometime later when we were taking breakfast, Arina, Miss Sally's 'mammy' came in bringing a set of silver castors". She had rescued these from the house of an absent neighbor to whom Miss Sally had lent them. Miss Sally turned to me and told me the history of these old pieces of silver. They had belonged to her grandfather and to his sister Mrs. Trebell at one time. They had the initials of both on them. She valued them very highly and it was her wish, she said, for my brother (then a little child) to own them on account of his name—John M. Galt. She gave them to him". To this account Miss Mary M. Galt has appended a note saying that these castors are now loaned to the Metropolitan Museum of New York.

*The "Paradise Table"*. "Mr. John Paradise of London married Miss Lucy Ludwell of Virginia. They lived for many years in London and were very intimate friends of the 'Literary Club'. This club was composed of Sir Joshua Reynolds, Dr. Johnson and Boswell, Oliver Goldsmith, Edmund Burke, Garrick, Sir John Hawkins, and others. Doctor Johnson and Boswell used to stay at the house of Mr. Paradise. This is mentioned in Boswell's life of Johnson.

"Mr. Paradise died in 1796, and shortly afterwards his widow returned to Virginia, bringing with her among her household treasures the dining table around which herself and husband had so often entertained the Literary Club. She lived for a number of years in Williamsburg, Virginia, where the table was always an object of interest and veneration. After her death, at the sale of her personal effects, the table was bought by Dr.





Alex. D. Galt on account of its intimate associations with the wits and celebrities of the reign of George III." Miss Mary Jeffery Galt later bought the table from Dr. Galt's daughter, Miss Sally Galt, and it was bequeathed to the children of Commodore Galt (brother of Miss Mary Jeffery Galt). At the present time, according to Miss Mary M. Galt, the table is in the possession of Mrs. Paul Welles (Elizabeth Ashe Galt) at Lexington, Virginia.

## II. The Galts in Richmond and Fluvanna County

In the section on the Galts in Scotland reference was made to certain Galts in Richmond, Virginia. Our chief source of information is the book "Israfel", biography of Edgar Allan Poe.

The earliest and most prominent member of this group was apparently William Galt. On pages 23-24 of "Israfel" we read,

"William Galt, a rich Scotchman doing a prosperous mercantile and tobacco trade at home and overseas,—said to have accumulated before his death one of the largest fortunes in Virginia. Mr. Galt's generosity and native clannishness were the mainstay, the hope and the means of gratification of a host of squabbling, poor Scotch relatives".

John Allan (foster-father of Edgar Allan Poe) was a nephew of William Galt, was associated with him in business, and became heir to much of his property. Other heirs were a son, William Galt, and a nephew James Galt. John Allan and James Galt evidently migrated from Scotland later than did William Galt.

One object of the writer in visiting Richmond this year was to trace the descendants of these Galts of Richmond, but research in the city and state historical libraries (much limited





in time, however) failed to discover anything very important.

Miss Mary M. Galt, in a recent letter to the writer, speaks of these Richmond Galts as follows:

"William Galt of Richmond, Va., connected with the Allans (and so with Edgar Allan Poe) was not a member of the Eastern Virginia Galt family. He came from Scotland and his nephews (two or three named Black and Allan) took his name. From them descend the Galts of Galts' mills, Fluvanna County, Va., and Mrs. Kinney of Staunton, Va. They are not of our family, except that I suppose all Galts may have come from Ayrshire".

While in Richmond the writer noted in the city directory the name of a place called "Galts' Apartments". Later, in response to a letter of inquiry, he received a reply explaining that the apartments were not named for any Galt in Richmond, and adding; "The writer has lived in Richmond his entire life, and has a somewhat wide acquaintance, but knows of no Galts here".

Fluvanna County, mentioned in Miss Galt's letter above, is situated forty or fifty miles up the James River from Richmond. The writer has not been successful in securing satisfactory information regarding Galt descendants there. Such data as are in hand have come partly from a letter from Miss Galt (having been gathered by her in the genealogical section of the New York Public Library) and partly from a letter from Mrs. Charles A. Holt, of Staunton, Virginia, who is a descendant of the "Fluvanna County Galts".

The data indicate that William Galt (1801-1851), son of the wealthy Richmond merchant of the name (who died in 1825), married Mary Bell Taylor and reared a family of nine children. Of these we have records of only one, the sixth, Jean Malcolm Galt, who in 1858 married Alexander F. Kinney. Of





the Kinney descendants we have some knowledge, and from them descended Mrs. Charles A. Holt (*née* Helen McHenry Holliday), mentioned above. A brief and fragmentary genealogy of this group will be found in the Appendix.

In correspondence seeking further information concerning the Fluvanna County Galts the writer received a picture post-card from "Galt's Mills, Va.", the picture presenting a view of the Mill by the riverside. Accompanying the card was a note to the effect that the Mill was built in 1813, and that it has been in the possession of members of a Turner family for three generations.

### III. The Kentucky Branch of the Eastern Virginia Galts

Data regarding the Kentucky branch of the Galts have come chiefly from Miss Mary M. Galt, and from Mr. William Galt Brown, of St. Louis.

William Craig Galt (1777-1853) was a son of Dr. John Minson Galt, first of the famous Williamsburg physicians, and a brother of Alexander Dickie Galt, the second of the three.

In 1802 William Craig Galt married Matilda Aylett Beall, and shortly afterwards removed to Louisville, Kentucky. In a suburb of the city he established a residence called "Repton", and had another residence in the city, adjoining what is now the Parish House of the Christ Church Cathedral.

Of the fruits of this marriage we have record of only one child, a son, Narborne Alexander Galt, born at Louisville, in 1805. In 1826 he married Elizabeth Matilda Tompson Gray, at Louisville, and they became the parents of a large family, four boys and six girls.

The sixth child, a daughter, Matilda Elizabeth Galt, married Arthur Brown (in 1855) and they also reared a large fam-





ily of children. Of these the eighth is William Galt Brown, now of St. Louis, who has kindly supplied a genealogical chart of this branch of the family.

The present writer, from his earliest recollections, has heard from time to time of the Galts in Kentucky, but has not become familiar with their family history. Although he visited the city of Louisville in February, 1936, for special reasons he did not have an opportunity to inquire into the local records of the Galt families and their connections. From data in hand it is evident that in that region Galt family descendants have become very numerous. As far as our records go, besides the name Galt, the names Robinson and Brown are those most frequently met.

A genealogical list of certain branches of the family will be found in the Appendix.

## VI. THE GALTS IN MARYLAND

Regarding the Maryland Galts the writer has been able to collect very little information. Miss Caroline M. Galt, of Mt. Holyoke College, supplied him with a genealogical chart of Maryland Galts which had apparently been prepared many years ago by her brother George McF. Galt. This chart covers five generations, in time extending from the early part of the 18th century to the latter part of the 19th. The progenitor (Generation I) is set down as Matthew Galt, who married Elizabeth Simpson. They had three sons, Matthew, John and James.

The chart contains no dates and no names of places. The present writer, when in Washington, D. C., last winter talked



over the telephone with a number of persons connected with Galt families, and was told by one of them that the Maryland Galts originated at Taneytown, Carroll County. Research in the Congressional Library failed to find any history of Carroll County, or any other data bearing on the question. Taneytown is not far from the Pennsylvania border (south of Gettysburg) and it might be conjectured that the Maryland Galts were a branch of the Pennsylvania Galts. But of this there is no evidence.

Some interest attaches to this branch of the family because of the connection with Mrs. Woolrow Wilson. Mrs. Wilson's first husband was Norman Galt (1866-1908) a prominent business man of Washington, a member of the 5th generation of Maryland Galts, whose father was Matthew William Galt.

During the past winter the New York papers reported the death of one Sterling Galt, connected with Charles Scribners Sons, Publishers. His father, it is reported, was Sterling Galt also, a brother of Norman Galt of the preceding paragraph.

The genealogy of the Maryland Galts, as recorded in the chart mentioned above, will be found in the Appendix.

## VII. THE GALTS IN CANADA

In the section on The Galts in Scotland we have referred in some detail to John Galt the Scotch novelist (1779-1839). We have now to record something of his career in Canada, and of his descendants in that country. Extensive accounts of John Galt may be found in the encyclopedias and biographical dictionaries, and now an excellent biography is available in the





book "John Galt", by Miss Jennie W. Aberdein. In Chapter VIII, entitled, "Connections with Canada" there is a full account of John Galt's pioneer work in the building up of Canada. Because of these published accounts it is unnecessary here to treat his life and work in detail.

The following excerpts are taken from a biographical sketch of John Galt published in a paper in Greenock, Scotland, in 1935:

"Galt was successful in obtaining valuable information with regard to the claims of Canadian clients in the dispute already mentioned. and out of the proceedings in this connection there emerged the Canada Company. This company owed its origin entirely to Galt. He was appointed secretary with a yearly salary of one thousand pounds, and was afterwards made one of the five commissioners of the Government for the valuation of the province. It appears to have been in the spring of 1825 that he first visited Canada for the purposes of this inquiry. . .

"By the end of 1826 we find Galt again in Canada, saddled with the sole and unaided management of the multifarious business of a concern with a million pounds of capital. He proceeded to carry out extensive schemes of colonization and opened up a road through what was then the forest country between Lakes Huron and Erie. In 1827 he founded the town of Guelph in Upper Canada, passing on his way the town of Galt, named after him by the Hon. William Dixon; later he founded the town of Goderich at Lake Huron. Galt's vigor, initiative and originality are evident everywhere in his activities at this time, and leap out in his correspondence with his family; yet his path was difficult.

"It appears that the real reasons for the trouble which latterly became so serious was the inability of the directors in London to appreciate the situation in the colonization area,





and their disagreement with a policy which, when it was too late for Galt, proved itself in a unique degree to be commercially wise and financially profitable.

"The result of it all was that he returned to London in the middle of 1829 in order to demand an investigation of matters before the Board. Without traversing the grounds of difference it may be here stated that Galt's management of the Company's affairs has long since been cleared of adverse judgment".

The remaining ten years of John Galt's life were spent in England or Scotland. He died at Greenock, near his native place in Ayrshire, in 1839.

He had three sons, John, Thomas, and Alexander Tilloch, all of whom spent their lives in Canada and they and their descendants have made notable contributions to public life. The second became Sir Thomas Galt the Chief Justice of Ontario. His eldest son, Alexander Casimir Galt also became prominent in the law and in 1912 became justice. For twenty-one years, until his retirement in 1933, he was judge in Winnipeg where he became widely known and respected. He died in the summer of 1936 at the age of eight-three.

Most distinguished of John Galt's three sons was the youngest, Alexander Tilloch Galt. His middle name, Tilloch, was the maiden name of his mother, whom John Galt had married in London. Alexander was born in London, in 1817, and went to Canada at the age of eighteen. There he became Sir Alexander Tilloch Galt, G. C. M. G. prominent in Canadian public affairs for many years as financier and statesman. To him was due the introduction of the decimal system of currency into Canada, and it is reported that at one period he favored the union of Canada with the United States. Published accounts of his life and work are available so it is unnecessary to treat





him at length here. Sir Alexander was twice married and had a large family. His eldest son, Elliott T. Galt, in association with his father, became prominent as financier and colonizer out west in the province of Alberta. An interesting account of these enterprises is contained in a pamphlet entitled, "The Galts, Father and Son: Pioneers in the Development of Southern Alberta", by Charles A. McGrath, and published by the *Lethbridge Herald* (Alberta). From the Foreword of this pamphlet we quote two paragraphs;

"No other name has been as much associated with the opening up and settlement of now thriving and progressive areas in different parts of Canada as that of Galt. Sherbrooke in the Eastern Townships of Quebec, Guelph, Galt and Goderich in Ontario, know the part men bearing this name have played in bringing them into being. The same can be said of Lethbridge, Alberta.

"In July, 1935, the City of Lethbridge, in the southern part of the Province of Alberta, celebrated its golden Jubilee. It was founded by Sir. Alexander T. Galt, one of the Fathers of Confederation, and his son, Elliott Torrance Galt, directed the enterprises that opened up southern Alberta and eventually led to Lethbridge becoming the third city in the Province".

Turning again to the family of Sir Alexander we note that his eldest daughter Amy Gordon Galt, married Robert Grant of Boston, a distinguished judge and author, and one of the Overseers of Harvard University. His fifth daughter Mabel Lillian Galt, married Charles A. McGrath, "until recently Chairman of the International Joint Commission the body which deals with problems arising between Canada and the United States, relating to boundary waters and other interests that are liable to become a source of friction between the two countries". The youngest daughter, Annie Prince Galt, married Dr. W.





Harvey Smith, one time President of the British Medical Association, and of the Canadian Medical Association. To him, as already mentioned, the present writer is much indebted for information concerning the Canadian Galts.

A genealogical list of the Canadian Galts will be found in the Appendix.

### VIII. OTHER GALTS IN AMERICA

As mentioned at the outset the present historical notes do not aim at completeness, but it may be of interest to set down here a few references which have come to light.

In one of the earlier sections there is a quotation from a letter written in 1926 by William Galt of Somerville, Mass. In this letter there is reference to an uncle, Stephen Galt, who had migrated from Scotland to this country many years earlier, and who apparently became a farmer in Vermont, where he reared a family.

In the section on genealogy of the Cincinnati Public Library, the writer found in a "History of Windham, Rockingham County, New Hampshire" ("a Scotch-Irish Settlement") by Leonard A. Morrison, published in 1883, references to Galts in that community. A man named James Galt was known to have been in that town in 1750, and in 1769, became a "town officer". In the records of the soldiers from Windham in the war of 1812 there appears the name of Daniel M. Galt, and there is a record of an incident in church which apparently involved him. A boy named Daniel Galt, from Bedford, was restless and mischievous in church, and had "his head anointed





with a cane, by an elder"—indicating how order was kept by the beadle.

Descendants of the various Galt families in America are very numerous and widely scattered. If one takes up a city directory or a telephone directory of any of the larger cities, he is almost sure to find a few Galt names.

And if the spelling of the name G-a-u-l-t be included, more names will be added to the list. In the Pennsylvania branch of the family, for at least a long period, apparently the spelling of the name with a "u" was common, for in the Galt family cemetery on the original Galt farm near Pequea most of the names are spelled with the "u". So far as we have discovered this spelling seems not to have been used in other branches of the family.

In the preceding sections there have been references to two towns in America named Galt—one in Illinois, and one in Canada. In both of these cases the origin of the name is known. Incidentally the writer has found places named "Galt" in three other states, viz., Iowa, Nevada, and California. A recent letter reports that the town of Galt in California was named after the city of the same name in Canada. Up to the present time he has not discovered the origin of the other two names. Perhaps further investigations regarding them may throw more light upon the distribution of members of the Galt families.

## A VARIANT ACCOUNT OF GALT FAMILY ORIGINS

After the early pages of the present work were printed the writer received letters from Mr. William Galt Brown, of St.





Louis, as reported in the section on the Kentucky branch of the Eastern Virginia Galts. The letters from Mr. Brown present evidences that the Galts in Scotland were of Norman origin.

The fundamental document presenting this evidence is a statement written by a certain William Dunlop, and sent with a letter by him, dated 11th February, 1838, to Captain Patrick Henry Galt, U. S. A. After receiving a copy of this document in one of the letters from Mr. Brown, the present writer sent out letters of inquiry in the endeavor to discover who William Dunlop was, and what facilities he might have for learning about Galt family origins.

Dr. W. Harvey Smith, of Winnipeg, was able to furnish ample information on these points. The most important source of information is a pamphlet entitled "William Dunlop" by Col. F. S. L. Ford, C. M. G., M. D., published by the "Albert Britnel Book Shop", Toronto, Canada, in 1931. From this source are gathered the following facts regarding William Dunlop.

William Dunlop, familiarly known as "Tiger" Dunlop, was a physician, born in 1792, and was in service with the militia of Lower Canada during the war between Great Britain and the United States in 1813-14. Later, with his regiment he saw service in India, and from there returned to England, and thence to Scotland, his native land. When John Galt, the writer, organized the Canada Company and went to Canada as its Superintendent, he chose Dr. Dunlop as an associate, and appointed him as "Warden of the Forest". They arrived in Canada in 1826, and were closely associated in their labors until John Galt retired from the service of the Company about 1830. Dr. Dunlop was not only a physician of eminence and wide experience, but was also a literary man, writing in the fields of medicine as well as general literature. After John Galt left the





Company and returned to England Dr. Dunlop stayed in Canada, remaining there until his death (1848). Not only was he intimately associated with John Galt, the writer, but he knew also the writer's son, John Galt, and was in his company when he wrote, in 1838, the letter now to be considered. The above matters are reported to show what manner of man William Dunlop was, and what opportunities he had to become familiar with Galt family history. The statement and the letter follow.

*From the original, sent to Patrick Henry Galt, copied by William R. Galt (son of Alexander, son of James, son of Samuel) and sent by his daughter, Mary Jeffery Galt, to William Galt Brown, of St. Louis.*

## THE FAMILY OF GALT

by William Dunlop

“The family of Galt is of Norman origin, the name having originally been ‘FitzGaultier’ and ‘de Galtier’. They with many other Normans were brought into Scotland during the 12th century for the purpose of instructing the natives in the Norman system of military tactics, and lands were granted them at ‘Galtston’ (*quasi* Galtston) in Ayreshire.

“When surnames were adopted many retained their French territorial appellations, leaving out the ‘de’, which then, as now, denoted noble or gentle blood in France, as the ‘de Montgomeries’ the ‘de Somervilles’. Others took up the names of the lands they acquired in Scotland, as ‘Fitz Louis de Fullerton’, ‘Fitz Robert de Dunlop’.

“The Galts left out the ‘Fitz’ (Fitz, Fil from Filius) and shortened their Norman appellations into something pronounce-





able by Scottish organs of speech. The immediate ancestor of Captain Galt was a Covenanter. Two brothers of them were implicated for sedition (i. e. for professing the Presbyterian faith) and were banished to Virginia [? Carolina] by an order of the Scotch Privy Council along with Lord Cardross, who was tried and sentenced along with them. This must have been about 1680. My ancestor, Wm. Dunlop, afterward Principal of Glasgow College, about the same period modestly withdrew to Virginia, without troubling the Privy Council, seeing that, having been a leader at Bothwell Brig. if it had been his good luck to escape Claverhouse's dragoons, he would have furnished an interesting spectacle to the rabble of Edinburgh on a gibbet at the Grassmarket.

"Of the two Galts one remained in Virginia, having married the daughter of a wealthy planter, that was the ancestor of Captain Galt. The other returned to Scotland after the Revolution of 1688, and he was the ancestor of 'John Galt' so well known in the literary world. John Galt, Jr., is a lieutenant in my corps, the Huron Militia, and left this place a few days ago on a leave of absence.

Wm. Galt of Virginia, who died some 10 or 12 years ago, stood in the relationship of 2nd cousin to John Galt's father, and consequently must have stood about the same degree to Captain Galt's father".

The account quoted above was accompanied by the following letter;

"My Dear Sir:—

Some nine years ago we met on a steamboat on the St. Clair. You then stated that being of Scotch extraction you wished to know something of your family. My reading since has been a great deal directed to a minute investigation of the reign of the latter Stuarts, and from that, and with the





assistance of my friend, Mr. Galt, I have been able to extricate the foregoing particulars.

As yours is an uncommon name, and there is but one high family belonging to it, you may safely, I think, depend on its accuracy.

"I remain, my dear sir, Yours Truly.

Wm. Dunlop.

"Fort L'armie.

11th February, 1838.

To Captain Patrick Henry Galt, U. S. A."

"Remarks" by Prof. Wm. R. Galt

"It is supposed that the Normans referred to in Dr. Dunlop's letter came over to Scotland about the year 1150, as a bodyguard to the King, who could not trust his own subjects. The 'Wm Galt of Virginia' referred to by Dr. Wm. Dunlop was a canny Scot of Ayreshire, who came over to Virginia before the Revolution and lived most of his life in Nelson County.

"He lived long after the Revolution, and left a large property near Colombia, Fluvanna County, to his nephews, Allan, James and William Galt. The second James is still living in 1875.

"The Galts of Williamsburg settled first at 'Strawberry Banks' a farm not far from Fortress Monroe.

"From what I have learned from tradition they consisted of two brothers and a nephew. The story is that it was this nephew who returned to the old country".

The above documents are recorded here for whatever his-





torical value they possess. The documents or other evidence lying behind them are not available, and no corroborative data have come to the attention of the present writer. Dr. Dunlop seems to write with much conviction, and he apparently had opportunities to secure all the data in the possession of John Galt, the writer—perhaps more. And, being a literary man of experience, he should have had some ideas of historical evidence and methods of inquiry.

In this connection however, it is worth while to note what John Galt himself says. Since writing the early parts of the present work two of the present writer's correspondents have furnished him with the relevant quotation from "The Literary Life of John Galt" which is as follows:

"The fact is, that I am not myself quite a disinterested person on the subject of the Covenant, though, God knows, I have no pretensions to the purity it implied in the conduct of those who signed it. A collateral ancestor of mine, namely, John Galt of Gateside, was banished in 1684 to Carolina, for refusing to call the affair of Bothwell Bridge a rebellion, and to renounce the Covenant. On this occasion he was assigned to the Gibsons of Glasgow, merchants, and by them transported to America. The Rev William Dunlop, afterwards Principal of the University of Glasgow, deemed it prudent to go to America in the same ship, which was commanded by one of the Gibsons, a harsh irreligious fellow, who permitted the exiles to be robbed of their money, and when they attempted to sing psalms, shut the hatches upon them.

"In a proclamation of Charles the Second, date the 5th May, 1684, another ancestral relation, William Galt of Wark, in the parish of Stewarton, was also proscribed. I have always understood that some relation of my father's, a grand-uncle, was banished for his part in the battle of Bothwell Brig. and I





believe that the John Galt, before mentioned, is the individual alluded to.

"A very remarkable circumstance may here be mentioned: When my friend Dr. Dunlop, the lineal descendant of the Principal, went on board the first American steam-boat on Lake Huron, in her first trip, he found an American general officer, with an aide-de-camp, who was a Major Galt, probably a descendant of the "banished man," as he came from south part of the country: and I may mention, to heighten a little these biographical hints, that I have not a single relation of the name of Galt, that I am aware of, now living, unmarried, being myself the last of the line, unless I count my own children.

"In rummaging among the old papers, relative to Cardinal Wolsley in the British Museum, I fell in with an original letter from the celebrated Bishop Gawin Douglas, the translator of Virgil, to the Cardinal, complaining of one with an obscure name, seemingly a Galt, the secretary of the Duke of Albany, then Regent of Scotland, for his animosity against him and the house of Douglas. I think that the latter circumstance indeed proves the secretary to have been of our family, for the Douglasses, great as they were, were not likely to daunt some of the race. My friend, the late General Stewart of Garth, told me that there was some ground near Blair-Athol Castle, called Galt's Craft, which the late Duke of Athol entailed; and it has been reported by tradition that we came from that part of the country, and, with some of the Stuarts, got hold of the lands of Stuarton or Stewarton, and Galston in Ayrshire. However, whether there be any truth or not in this, it is certain we have been remarkable for a feature disappearing, namely, black eyes of a peculiar formation, the left eye-lid somewhat depressed, and that the name is Gaelic, and implies stranger. But I shall not trouble the reader further: only I know that my researches about





the name of Galt ought to have proved us the lineal descendants of Galdus. Indeed my late acquaintance Glengarry, who was great on genealogies, advised me seriously, when I mentioned Galdus, to stick by that hero as my ancestor."

Note.—Who this "Galdus" was is not known. Miss Aberdeen, in her book (p. 195) suggests that he may have been merely a fictitious character.

In the present work we have presented the evidences for two hypotheses as to Galt family origins, the Danish hypothesis and the Norman hypothesis. The present writer still inclines toward the theory of Danish origin, but he cannot be certain. Associating himself with his three best informed correspondents on these matters, he may set it down here that, of the four, two give greater credence to the Danish theory, and two to the Norman theory.

—————After the above was written and given to the printer correspondence brought to hand still more data bearing upon the problem of Galt origins. Miss Mary Meares Galt has pointed out that the Normans who settled Normandy in northern France in the tenth century were *Northmen* (the word Norman being abbreviated from the word Northman). Investigation by the present writer has verified this, and accordingly the theory of the Danish origin of the Galts, and that of the Norman origin, may be fundamentally the same. That is, the name Galt, of north European origin, may have been borne by Northmen who settled in Normandy, and by Danes who settled in northern England and Scotland. Thus there may have been two migrations of Galts into Scotland, one from France with the Norman invasion of England; and one from Denmark with the Danish invasion—both coming from an earlier common source in northern Europe.





With this suggestion of a possible solution we shall be obliged to leave the problem for future research.

### SUPPLEMENT

Nearly all of the fore-going sections were printed when there arrived (January, 1938) unexpectedly other documents adding much information regarding certain Galt families. These documents were sent (at the suggestion of Miss Mary Meares Galt) by Mr. John Randolph Galt, for forty years a resident of Honolulu, Hawaii.

The genealogical lists in these documents, recast in form, have been added to the lists prepared for the Appendix which follows,

Other data from these documents are summarized in the following sections:

*The Galts in Denmark.* Mr. John Randolph Galt writes that a friend of his in Honolulu, Mr. Charles C. Hedemann, himself a descendant from a noble family in Denmark, kindly compiled and translated from the 1893 issue of the Yearbook of the Danish Nobility (Denmark's Adels Aarbog) records of the Galt families in Denmark. After writing out the genealogical lists (see Appendix) Mr. Hedemann writes:

"The above genealogy of the old Galt Family extends from the middle of the 13th century, 1253, with Ebbe Galt, to the end of the 17th century, or 1698.

"This old noble family became extinct by the death of Knud Hendrick Galt, the last man of the family in Denmark. It has therefore existed for more than 450 years.

"It seems to have been the most prominent family of original Danish nobility. It owned from time to time more than 65





of the largest landed estates mentioned herein, and also received by favor of the kings the fiefs (leins) of many important crown estates, making the possessors feudal lords and vassals to the kings.

"Their large monuments and tombstones, as well as paintings, may yet be seen in the Danish cathedrals and country churches, and no doubt most of the earlier family history has been obtained by studying the inscriptions and coats of arms on these graves and memorials.

"I have never heard of anybody in Denmark by the name of Galt. I have not been able to find it in the Danish personal registers, and it is not found in the Court and State Kalendar and in the Kalendar of Danish nobility, except as recorded herein.

"According to the only authentic historic data, the brothers Mogens and Ore immigrated to, and died in, foreign countries about 1650, but no doubt several members of the family lived in Sweden, of which a part then was part of Denmark, and Norway, then entirely Danish."

Judging by the available evidence the records in the Yearbook of Danish Nobility were the sources consulted by the Danish gentleman whom Miss Caroline Galt met in Rome in 1912, and which became the foundation for the accounts in the first section of the present work, pages 1-4.

*The Galts in Ireland.* Information about the Galts in northern Ireland, sent by Mr. John Randolph Galt, was confined to genealogical lists giving the ancestry of Major William Howard Curtis Galt, mentioned on page 14 of the section on the "Galts in Ireland". After that section was written there came to hand a letter written from Montreal, Canada, by Major Galt in 1930, to which place the family had earlier migrated.





The genealogical list (see Appendix) seems to indicate the possibility that Robert Galt, progenitor of the "Pennsylvania Galts", who migrated from Ireland in 1709, may have been connected with this same Galt family in Coleraine.

*The Scotland-New York-Illinois Galts.* See Appendix. It is difficult to attach a suitable name to the family of Galts listed in the third document sent by Mr. John Randolph Galt — his own family. The record of ancestry starts in Scotland in the 18th century, and continues in the 19th and 20th centuries in New Haven, Ct., in New York City, in New York State, in Whiteside County, Illinois, and in Honolulu. No one place seems to have been for long a family center, and so the present writer has resorted to the title above.

The origin of the family in Ayrshire, Scotland, is worthy of note.

Whiteside County, Illinois, is the county in which Sterling is located, but there seems to be no evidence of immediate connection between the two Galt communities in the County, since the Sterling Galts are known to have originated in Pennsylvania,

Further data arrive as the proofs of these pages are in hand. Under the title, "The Name and Family of Ga(u)lt", compiled by a certain commercial Research Bureau, there is the following statement:

"The name of Gault or Galt is said by some authorities to have been of Norman-French origin and to have been taken into Scotland in the 12th century in the form of Fitz-Gaultier. It is, however, also claimed that the name was derived from





the Norse Galti or Old English Galt, meaning a 'boar pig'. . . . Owing to the fact that the name is still found in both forms in both Denmark and France, it is difficult to determine which of the theories is correct, although it is possible that both are correct. Many of the Norse tribes went into France at early dates and may have originally established the name there."

This statement is interesting as recording the same two theories of Galt origins discussed above. The crucial point is, the source of the theory of Norman origin. Is it the same as that on which the statement by Dr. Dunlop is based? Or is there some other and independant source for the theory? The present writer must needs leave the question for further investigation.

Included with the data are genealogical notes of a Galt family in New Hampshire, the progenitor of which was one Samuel Gault from Ireland (earlier from Scotland), who settled in Chester, N. H., about 1721. Since Chester is in Rockingham county, and not more than ten miles from a town called Windham, the present writer supposes that this New Hampshire Galt (Gault) family is connected with the Galts in New Hampshire mentioned on pages 56-57.

These data were supplied by Mr. Charles Beers Gault, of Lake Waccamaw, North Carolina. The genealogical notes have been recast in form, and are included as the last section of the Appendix.





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### NOTES

The lists which follow make no claim to completeness nor to perfection of form. Data in hand and supplied by friends have been recorded, and some research undertaken—as far as time limitations have allowed.

If members of the families concerned, or other interested persons, note errors or omissions, report of such will be welcomed by the writer. He hopes that what



is recorded here may be the foundation for more thorough work by others in the future.  
The following notation has been adopted:

- 1) A Roman numeral before a name indicates the number of the generation, beginning with the progenitor of that particular branch of the family.
- 2) An Arabic numeral before a name is the person's individual number in the list, and is useful for identification.
- 3) The following abbreviations are used:  
b, born.  
m, married (followed by a date, or name, or both).  
r, residence (general place of residence).  
d, died (or, dead, if the date is not known).
- 4) In each section, comprising one family, the parents are listed first, followed by the children. (In a few cases because of the inaccuracy of records, these may not be in chronological order.) The parent listed first is in each case the one connected by birth with the Galt family.





## Appendix I GENEALOGY OF GALT IN DENMARK

Compiled in 1930 for John Randolph Galt, of Honolulu, by Charles J. Hedemann, from records in the "Danmarks Adels Aarbeg", 1893 (Yearbook of the Danish Nobility.)

Early mention.—An Ebbe Galt is mentioned as early as 1253.

A signature of an Ebbe Galt for 1314 has been found. He was a knight in 1327. Died before 1351. Another Ebbe Galt was mentioned in 1356.

"The first name 'Ebbe' was so common in the family that it was proposed then to adopt it as family name instead of Galt".

(Mr. Hedemann's arrangement has been modified to correspond with the scheme of the present work).

I. Ebbe (?) Galt. Or, Lage (?) Galt.

II. 2. Mogens Lagesen (Galt).

3. Jens Lagesen (Galt). A knight in 1397.

4. Oluf Lagesen (Galt). (?)

5. Niels Lagesen (Galt). Mentioned in 1408, and in 1440.

II. 2. Mogens Lagesen (Galt).

Mentioned in 1381 and 1410.

A knight in 1397.

III. 6. Kirsten.

7. Margarethe.

8. Lage Mogensen (Galt). Mentioned 1424, 1449.

9. Ebbe Mogensen (Galt).





III. 9. Ebbe Mogensen (Galt),  
m. Sophie Olufs.

IV. 10. Anders Ebbesen (Galt).

11. Mogens Ebbesen (Galt).

12. Inger. m. Offe Tagensen.

13. Karen. m. Morten Nielsen.

14. Margarethe. m. Rasmus Rosendal.

IV. 10. Anders Ebbesen (Galt).

Mentioned 1442. d. July 29, 1446.

m. 1) Gertrud.

2) Anne Fleming Joachims. d.  
1488.

V. 2) 15. Jorgen Andersen (Galt). Died young.

16. Iver Andersen (Galt). Died in infancy.

IV. 11. Mogens Ebbesen (Galt).

Mentioned 1433. A knight in 1444.  
d. 1481.

m. 1) 1444, Anne.

2) Dorte Eriks. d. 1496.

V. 1) 17. Erik Mogensen (Galt). Mentioned 1484. Killed in  
battle 1500.

2) 18. Ebbe Mogensen (Galt).

19. Sophie. A widow in 1531.

20. Ide. m. before 1496 to Niels Thomsen.

V. 18. Ebbe Mogensen, (Galt).

A courtier in 1497.

Killed in battle 1500.

m. Sophie Hoeg.

VI. 21. Mogens Ebbesen (Galt). Died young.

22. Anders Ebbesen (Galt).



23. Peder Ebbesen (Galt).

24. Dorte. Died young.

VI. 22. Anders Ebbesen (Galt).

Mentioned 1524. A courtier 1526.

d. 1529.

m. Pernille Goge. 1506-1552.

VII. 25. Ebbe Andersen (Galt). Mentioned 1532. Died single before 1554.

26. Mette. Died unmarried.

VI. 23. Peder Ebbesen (Galt).

Mentioned 1521. A councillor of State 1536.

d. 1548.

m. Ingebord Gjords. d. 1552.

VII. 27. Anders Pedersen (Galt).

28. Mogens Pedersen (Galt). 1532-1575.

29. Gjord Pedersen (Galt).

30. Kirsten. 1536-1616.

31. Niels Pedersen (Galt).

32. Dorte. 1540-1579.

33. Karen. 1541—

34. Sophie. 1543-1603.

35. Ebbe Pedersen (Galt). b. 1544. Died unmarried.

36. Anne. 1564-1605. (?).

VII. 27. Anders Pedersen (Galt). 1530-1585.

m. Inger Claus. d. 1599.

VIII. 37. Ebbe Andersen (Galt).

38. Anne. Queen's lady in waiting 1587. Twice married. Second husband died in England.

VII. 29. Gjord Pedersen (Galt). 1534-1591.





m. 1576, Regitze Rosenkrantz Fol-  
mers.

VIII. 39. Peder Galt. Died single.

40. Axel Galt.

41. Mogens Galt. 1570-1611. Died single.

42. Knud Galt.

43. Ingeborg. m. 1623. (?).

44. Birgette. Died single.

45. Margarethe. Lady in waiting to the queen.

46. Sidsel. Lady in waiting to the queen.

47. Sophie.

VII. 31. Niels Pedersen (Galt). 1538-1608,  
m. 1580, Lisbet Huitfeldt Christ-  
offers 1551-1609.

VIII. 48. Peder Galt. b. 1584. Studied in Germany. Consul  
at Stockholm, 1621-24. Naval Com-  
mander, 1628-44. In 1644 Commander  
of squadron guarding Swedish Fleet,  
which escaped. Beheaded 1644.  
"A learned man".

m. 1630, Birgitte Baad.

VIII. 37. Ebbe Andersen (Galt).

IX. 49. Peder Galt. (?)

50. Inger. m. a French Nobleman.

VIII. 40. Axel Galt.

A courtier, 1602-1604.

d. 1614.

m. Mette Rantzau Bendix.

IX. 51. Gjord Galt.

52. Birgitte.

53. Anne. d. 1647.





54. Regitze.

55. Margarethe. 1613-1675. m. 1643, Bendix Lehest-  
ed.

VIII. 42. Knud Galt.

Mentioned 1608. d. 1650.

m. 1621, Birgitte Juul Niels.

IX. 56. Gjord Galt. 1622-1685.

57. Folmer Galt.

58. Anne.

59. Regitze.

60. Birte. 1654-1691.

61. Niels Galt. Died in infancy.

62. Mogens Galt. Emigrated from Denmark. Died a-  
broad.

63. Ove Galt. Emigrated from Denmark. Died abroad.

64. Vibeke. Died in infancy.

IX. 51. Gjord Galt. 1622-85.

m. 1) Barbara Lange Henricks.

2) 1652, Maren Mormand Christ-  
offers.

3) Eva Unger-Hans wolffs. 1626-  
1694.

X. 3) 65. Knud Henrick Galt. d. 1698. Last male member  
of the Galt family in Denmark.

66. Birte Marie. Twice married, d. 1741.



Appendix II GENEALOGY OF GALTS IN NORTHERN  
IRELAND

Based on data supplied to the writer by John Randolph  
Galt of Honolulu.

- I. 1. John Galt.  
b. 1621. d. 1700 (?). Mayor  
of Coleraine.  
Mary Hazlette, d. 1697.
- II. 2. John Galt.  
3. Lennox Galt.  
4. Chalmers Galt.  
5. Eleanor Galt.  
6. Mary Galt. m. Gilbert Hall.
- II. 2. John Galt.  
b. 1660. d. 1733 (?)  
m. 1) Eliza Martin. d. 1696.  
2) Sarah Moore.
- III. 2) 7. John Galt. m. Jane ( ). d. 1766 (?)  
8. William Galt.  
III. 8. William Galt. d. 1776.  
Elizabeth Dunlop.
- IV. 9. Robert Galt. m. 1772, Elizabeth Thompson.  
10. Charles Galt.  
11. Sarah Galt. m. Rowley Heyland. d. 1775.  
12. Ann Galt.  
13. Ellinor Galt.
- IV. 10. Charles Galt. 1738-1801,  
Elizabeth Allen.
- V. 14. John Galt.





15. Robert Galt. 1774-1806, Unmarried. Army officer.
16. Charles Galt.
17. William Galt,
18. James Galt, b, 1783,
19. Mary Galt, b, 1766,
20. Jane Galt. b, 1768,
21. Elizabeth Galt, b, 1770.
22. Ann Galt, b, 1773. m, James Little, d, 1811.
23. Helen Galt, b. 1778, m, Robert Miller,
24. Sally Galt, b. 1785.

V, 14. John Galt, 1767-1845.

m, 1800, Magdalen Montgomery.  
d, 1824.

- VI. 25. Charles Galt, 1801-1829,  
26. John Galt, 1802-1820,  
27. Hugh Galt, 1805-1836. Captain, d, in India,  
28. Samuel Gamble. b, 1807,  
29. William Galt, 1809-1892, Railway engineer,  
30. Samuel Galt, b, 1812.  
31. Montgomery James Allen Galt. b. 1819,

V. 16, Charles Galt,

b. 1775,

m. 1801, Clementina Cox.

- VI. 32. Eliza Galt. m. George Henderson, of Glasgow.  
33. Jane Clementina Galt. d. unmarried,  
34. Ann Galt. m. Robert Fisher.  
35. Mary Galt. m. Dr. Thompson.

V. 17. William Galt. Of Ballysally  
House, Antrim, 1782-1838.  
m. 1811, Elizabeth Curtis.  
d. 1824,





VI. 36. Griffin Curtis Galt, 1816-1868. Captain Ceylon Rifles.

37. William Howard Galt.

38. Eliza Curtis Galt. b. 1813. d. unmarried,

39. Helen Galt. b. 1822. d. unmarried,

40. Mary Anne Galt. b. 1824,

41. Louisa Galt. b. 1826,

VI. 37. William Howard Galt. Of Ballysally House, Londonerry.

1819-1885,

m. 1869, Sarah Ann Moore,  
d. 1911,

VII. 42. William Howard Curtis Galt.

43. George Moore Galt. b. 1871. m. 1904. Lida Janette Bachelder, of Nashua, U. S. A.

44. Charles John Galt. b. 1873. m. 1906. Maggie Mary Pearse, of Temuka, N. Z.

45. Griffin Curtis Galt. b. 1881,

46. Mary Barlie Galt. Deceased,

47. Sarah Jane Galt. Deceased,

VII. 42. William Howard Curtis Galt. Of Ballysally, Coleraine, co. Londonderry. b. 1870. Late Lieut. Antrim Rifles. Solicitor. Removed, before 1930, to Montreal, Canada, m. 1902, Josephine Larbaletre, of Thollet, Vienne, France,

VIII. 48. Hamilton Curtis Galt. b. 1904.

(Above data, from the 1912 edition of "Burke's Landed Gentry of Ireland".)



### Appendix III GENEALOGY OF PENNSYLVANIA GALT

There are two chief sources for the data of the records which follow: a small pamphlet published by Thomas A. Galt, of Sterling Illincis, in 1910; and two blue-print charts which were prepared by George McF. Galt, of Princeton, apparently about the same time, or earlier. These charts are in the form of concentric circles, each circle representing a generation. They were supplied to the writer by Miss Caroline M. Galt (sister of George McF.) of Mt. Holyoke College.

I. 1. Robert Galt,

II. 2. Mrs. William Wilson,

3. Mrs. Armor,

4. James Galt,

II. 2. Mrs. William Wilson,  
William Wilson,

III. Hugh Wilson,

II. 4. James Galt,  
Miss Alison,

III. 5. William Galt,

6. John Galt,

7. James Galt,

8. Mrs. Agnes Galt Scott,

9. Mrs. Isabel Galt McConnell,

10. Mrs. Rosborough.

11. Mrs. James Walker,

12. Mrs. Mentsell.

13. Robert Galt.

14. Thomas Galt,





- III. 7. James Galt.  
(                      ).
- IV. 17. Agnes Galt,
- III. 9. Mrs. Isabel Galt McConnell,  
(                      ) McConnell,
- IV. 18. Robert McConnell,  
19. Mary McConnell,  
20. William McConnell,
- III. 10. Mrs. Rosborough,  
(                      ) Rosborough,
- IV. 21. William Rosborough,
- III. 11. Mrs. James Walker,  
Mr. James Walker,
- IV. 22. Isabel Walker.
- III. 12. Mrs. Mentsell,  
(                      ) Mentsell,
- IV. 23. Isabel Mentsell,
- III. 13. Robert Galt.  
(                      ),
- IV. 24. William Galt,  
25. Adam Galt,
- III. 14. Thomas Galt,  
Isabel Wilson,
- IV. 26. James Galt,  
27. Sarah Galt. b. 1763.  
28. Mary Galt Mathers. b. 1754. (Madern ?.)  
29. Janet Galt. b. 1752.  
30. Alexander Galt.
- IV. 24. William Galt.  
(                      );





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- V. 31. Margaret Galt.  
32. Elizabeth Galt,

IV. 25. Adam Galt,  
( ),

- V. 33. Mitchell Galt,  
34. James Galt,  
35. Sarah Galt,  
36. Margaret Galt,  
37. Hannah Galt,  
38. Susan Galt,  
39. John Galt,  
40. William Galt,  
41. Nancy Galt,  
42. Jane Galt.

IV. 26. James Galt, b. 1751; m, 1791;  
d. 1821.  
Mary Martin,

- V. 43. Eliza Galt,  
44. Catherine Galt,  
45. Lydia Galt,  
46. Mary Galt,  
47. Isabel Galt,  
48. Thomas Galt,  
49. Alexander Galt,  
50. John Galt,  
51. Martin Galt. (d. in infancy.)  
52. James Galt.  
53. William Galt.

IV. 30. Alexander Galt, b. 1759,  
( ),



- V. 54. John Galt,  
55. Isabelle Galt Robinson,  
56. William Galt,

V. 39. John Galt,  
(            ).

- VI. 57. Joshua Galt.  
58. Mrs. Agnes Galt Leader,

V. 42. Mrs. Jane Galt McCullough,  
(            ) McCullough,

- VI. 59. John McCullough,  
60. William McCullough,  
61. James McCullough,  
62. Alexander McCullough,  
63. Sarah McCullough,  
64. Nancy McCullough,  
65. Mary McCullough,  
66. Jane McCullough,  
67. Susan McCullough,  
68. Margaret McCullough White.

V. 43. Eliza Galt, b. 1792; m. 1810; d. 1818,  
Joseph McJimsey.

- VI. 69. Eliza McJimsey, m. James Buyers,  
70. Ann McJimsey, (d. unmarried.)  
71. Mrs. S. Smith Patterson.

V. 44. Catherine Galt, b. 1799; m. 1819;  
d. 1890.  
Robert Darrah.

- VI. 72. James Alexander Darrah,  
73. Eliza Darrah,





74. Rachel H. Darrah Turner. b. 1822; r. Conn.; d. 1863.

75. Mary Ann Darrah. b. 1827; d. 1857,

76. Emily Darrah.

77. Rebecca Darrah Turner,

78. John Martin Darrah,

79. Robert Henderson Darrah,

80. Catherine Darrah,

(Darrah genealogy given by Anna Darrah to George McF. Galt, Dec., 1902.)

V. 45. Lydia Galt, b. 1807; m. 1826,

Hawthorne Freeland,

VI. 81. James Freeland,

82. John Freeland,

83. Samuel Freeland,

84. Edward Freeland,

85. Elizabeth Freeland,

86. Mary Freeland.

87. Isabella Freeland Reid,

88. Salome Freeland Hammel,

V. 46. Mary Galt, b. 1809; m. 1830; d. 1895.

Hugh Wallace,

VI. 89. Anges Wallace Champion, b. 1832; d. 1921.

90. Mary Isabel Wallace,

91. Elizabeth Cassat Wallace, b. 1837,

92. James Moore Wallace, b. 1841,

93. Jesse Wallace, b. 1844,

94. Hamilton Wallace, b. 1847,

95. Ann Eliza Wallace,

96. Catherine Wallace, b. 1839.

V. 47. Isabel Galt, b. 1812; m. 1834; d. 1850.

William Manaham,





- VI, 97. John Manahan,  
98. Rebecca Manahan.  
99. Catherine M. Manahan,  
100. William Manahan,

V, 48. Thomas Galt, b. 1805; d. 1857,  
1) Sarah Happer,  
2) Margaret Moore.

- VI, 1) 101. James J. Galt,  
102. John Galt.  
103. Martin Happer Galt,  
104. Thomas Galt.  
105. Isabella Galt. d. in infancy.  
106. Sarah C. Galt. d. in infancy.  
2) 107. Elijah Lamb Galt,

V. 49. Alexander Galt, b. 1803; m. 1830;  
d. 1882.  
Frances Showalter,

- VI. 108. Mary Jane Galt.  
109. John Showalter Galt,  
110. Lydia Galt,  
111. Smith Patterson Galt.  
112. James Vogan Galt, b. 1842; m. Anne Overholzer,  
113. Thomas Galt, b. 1844.  
114. Alexander Galt, b. 1846,  
115. Frances Galt, b. 1848,

V. 50. John Galt, b. 1801; m. 1825; d. 1866,  
Sarah M. Buyers, r. Sterling, Ill,

- VI. 116. James Galt,  
117. Mary Galt.  
118. Robert Armor Galt,



- 119. Thomas Galt.
- 120. Elizabeth Galt.
- 121. John B. Galt.
- 122. Alexander Galt.
- 123. Letitia Galt.
- 124. Josephine Galt.
- 125. Frances A. Galt.
- 126. William Galt. d. unmarried.
- 127. Henry M. Galt. d. unmarried.
- 128. Joseph Galt. d. unmarried.

V. 52. James Galt, b. 1796; d. 1826.  
( ),

- VI. 129. Zadok T. Galt.
- 130. James Alexander Galt.

V. 53. William Galt, b. 1794; m. 1823;  
d. 1842.

Mary Ann Thomas, b. 1800 d. 1871.

- VI. 131. Amanda Galt.
- 132. Julia Ann Galt.
  - 133. Thomas Alexander Galt.
  - 134. Isabella Galt McCloy, b. 1830; m. 1858; d. 1888.
  - 135. Azariah Thomas Galt.
  - 136. John Martin Galt.
  - 137. Zadok T. Galt.
  - 138. Ruth Anna Galt, m. 1) Morrison; 2) Pennington.
  - 139. Frances Randolph Galt. b. 1841.
  - 140. William James Galt. b. 1833; d. 1878; unmarried.

V. 55. Isabella Galt.

( ) Robinson.

141. Hugh W. Robinson.





- 142. William Robinson.
- 143. Mrs. ( ) Robinson Rambo.
- 144. Margaret Robinson.
- 145. John Robinson.

V. 56. William Galt,

( )

VI. 146. Mary Jane Galt.

147. Alexander W. Galt.

148. John Gilkeson Galt,

149. Martha Galt Magill.

150. William P. Galt.

VI. 58. Agnes Galt,

( ) Leader,

VII. 151. Isabel Leader.

VI. 68. Margaret McCullough,

( ) White.

VII. 152. Jane White.

153. Isabella G. White Hartley.

154. Mary White.

155. Margaret White,

156. Frances White,

157. Agnes White.

158. Georgiana White.

159. Josephine White.

VI. 72 James Alexander Darrah, b. 1820;  
m. 1850; d. 1882.

Mary McCutchin. (of St. Louis).

VII. 160. William Darrah.

161. Robert Darrah.

162. Katherine Darrah,





163. Mary Darrah,

164. Rebecca Darrah.

VI. 73. Eliza McJimsey Darrah, b. 1825;  
m. 1854; d. 1900.

James B. Freeland, r. Lancaster Co.,  
Penn,

VII. 165. Samuel Freeland,

166. Katherine Freeland.

VI. 76. Emily Darrah, b. 1830; m. 1854;  
d. 1898.

Joseph Nichols, r. New Hampshire.

VII. 167. Edgar G. Nichols, b. 1855,

168. H. S. Prentiss Nichols, b. 1858; m. 1895, Isabel  
McIlhenny; r. Germantown, Penn.

VI. 78. John Martin Darrah, b. 1836; m. 1860.

Eleanor H. Polk, (of Hartsville, Penn.)

169. Robert Darrah,

170. Jane P. Darrah.

VI. 79. Robert Henderson Darrah, b. 1842;  
m. 1868.

Elizabeth W. Dyer (of Stockton, N. J.)

VII. 171. Ann Darrah, b. 1870; r. Hartsville, Penn.

172. Katherine Darrah, b. 1873; m. 1902,

Randolph Miller.

173. Archibald Darrah, b. 1875; m. 1902; r. Hartsville,  
Penn.

VI. 80. Katherine Darrah, b. 1845; m. 1868.

Theodore R. Graham, r. Philadelphia.

VII. 174. Mary Graham, b. 1869; d. 1871.



VI. 90. Mary Isabel Wallace, b. 1834;  
m. 1860; d. 1891; r. Council Bluffs,  
Iowa.

William Letchword Patterson, (Civil  
Engineer.)

VII. 190. Nathan Denison Patterson, b. 1861; m. Laura E.  
Smith.

191. Mary Patterson,

192. Susan L. Patterson.

193. Hugh Wallace Patterson, b. 1868; r. (1902)  
Alaska.

194. Stella Patterson McChesney, b. 1871; m. 1898.  
(Husband died, 1899.)

195. Lillian Patterson, b. 1872,

196. Isabel Patterson, b. 1875,

(Patterson Genealogy given by Stella Patterson McChesney to George  
McF. Galt, Jan. 25, 1902.)

VI. 94. Hamilton Wallace, b. 1847; d. (about.)  
1894.

Ann Spencer. d. about 1894.

VII. 205. Hugh Wallace, b. 1872; m. ( ) r. Chicago,

206. Jesse Wallace, b. 1874; m. ( ) r. Chicago,

VI. 95. Anna Eliza Wallace, b. 1852;  
m. 1874; d. 1890.

Bruce Leffingwell, r. Chicago,

VII. 207. Robert Bruce Leffingwell, b. 1875.

208. Hugh Wallace Leffingwell, b. 1877.

209. Earle Leffingwell, b. 1878.

210. Heney Leffingwell. b. 1881.

211. Mary Galt Leffingwell, b. 1883.

212. Celinda Lida Leffingwell, b. 1884,





VI. 101. James J. Galt, b. 1835; m. 1857;  
d. 1923. r. Nebraska & Missouri.  
Mary Ann Brown, d. 1911.

VII. 220. Sarah Rachel Galt.  
221. Thomas R. Galt.  
222. Mary Isabella Galt.  
223. Susanna Brown Galt.  
224. Minnie Margaret Galt.  
225. Charlotte Adele Galt.  
226. Clara Ann Galt.  
227. James Martin Galt.  
227.1. Jeannette Happer Galt.  
227.2. Georgia Galt.

VI. 102. John Galt, b. 1838; m. 1862;  
d. 1899. r. Springfield, Illinois.  
Margaret Epler, b. 1841; d. 1923.

VII. 228. Martin E. Galt, b. 1866; d. 1867  
229. William A. Galt, b. 1862; m. 1894; d. 1926.  
230. Caroline Galt.  
231. Charles E. Galt, b. 1864; d. 1889.  
232. Annabel Galt. b. 1868; r. Siam.  
233. Lillian Galt.  
234. Lida Galt, r. Hunan, China.  
235. Ella Galt.

VI. 103. Martin Happer Galt, b. 1841;  
m. 1.) 1865; 2.) 1890;  
r. Shenandoah, Iowa; d. 1910.  
1.) Clara Spilman, b. 1845; d. 1887.  
2.) Anna Miller Hamilton, b. 1857;  
d. 1925.





- VII. 1) 236. Amos Allan Galt, b. 1866; r. California.  
 237. Milner Grant Galt, b. 1868; d. in infancy.  
 238. Julia Belle Galt, b. 1870; m. 1902;  
 James Skiles, (d.) r. Shenandoah, Iowa.  
 239. Howard Spilman Galt.  
 240. Harvey Happer Galt.  
 241. Charles Andrew Galt.  
 242. Reuben Pierson Galt.  
 243. Elmer W. Galt.  
 244. Truman F. Galt.  
 2) 245. Martin H. Galt.  
 246. Alice Laura Galt.

- VI. 104. Thomas Galt, b. 1844; m. 1869;  
 d. 1917; r. Aurora Illinois.  
 Jeannette McFarlane, b. 1843;  
 d. 1923.

- VII. 247. George McFarlane Galt, d.  
 248. Margaret Galt.  
 249. Caroline Morris Galt. r. Mt. Holyoke College,  
 (Professor). d. 1937.  
 250. Thomas Galt, r. Elkton, Maryland.  
 251. Jeannette Rachel Galt.  
 252. Sarah Happer Galt.  
 253. Mary Wallace Galt.

- VI. 107. Elijah Lamb Galt, b. 1850; m. 1872;  
 d. 1927; r. St. Louis.  
 Mary Louis Bergen, b. 1854;  
 d. 1916.

- VII. 254. Emma Berger Galt.  
 255. Arthur Fisher Galt.



256. Eugene Thomas Galt, b. 1875; d. 1884.  
257. Louisa Moore Galt.  
258. Nellie Ruth Galt.  
259. Charles Elijah Galt.  
260. Martin Epler Galt.  
261. Albert Carpenter Galt.
- VI. 108. Mary Jane Galt, b. 1832; d. 1900.  
James E. Giffen (Gilfin?).
- VII. 262. Alexander Galt Giffen.  
263. Robert Emmet Giffen.
- VI. 109. John Showalter Galt, b. 1836; r.  
Lancaster Co., Penn.  
Sarah E. Martin.
- VII. 264. Rebecca Gillespie Galt, b. 1875.  
265. Frances Showalter Galt, b. 1876.  
266. Alexander Martin Galt, b. 1878; d. 1933 (or '34).  
267. John Showalter Galt, Jr.  
268. Sarah Elizabeth Galt, b. 1882.  
269. Abraham Lincoln Galt.  
270. Henrietta Martin Galt.  
271. Smith Patterson Galt.  
272. Mary Adele Martin Galt, d. 1895 (?).
- VI. 110. Lydia Galt, b. 1834.  
John A. Rutherford.
- VII. 273. Alexander Galt Rutherford.  
274. J. Park Rutherford.  
275. A. Mitchell Rutherford.  
276. Frances Rutherford Elder.  
277. Eliza W. Rutherford Bailey, r. Harrisburg, Penn.  
278. Lydia Bertha Rutherford (Welch?).





VI. 111. Smith Patterson Galt, b. 1838;  
r. St. Louis.

Frances O. Franklin.

VII. 279. Serena Mayor Galt, b. 1874; m. Roger Shapleigh,  
(d.)

280. Thomas Franklin Galt, b. 1876; m. Miss Seeley,

281. Alexander Galt, r. Buffalo N. Y. (Librarian).

282. Robert Barnes Galt, b. 1882,

283. Frances Franklin Galt, b. 1878; d.

284. Smith Patterson Galt, b. 1882; d.

285. Charles Franklin Galt, b. 1884; m ( ); r.  
St. Louis, Missouri (Artist).

VI. 116. James Galt.

Mary Jane Culver,

VII. 286. Edgar H. Galt.

VI. 117. Mary Galt.

James A. Galt,

VII. 287. Frank Galt,

288. Julia Galt.

VI. 119. Thomas Galt.

Rebecca R. Patterson.

VII. 289. Mills (Milo?) L. Galt.

290. John Galt.

VI. 123. Letitia Galt, r. Sterling, Illinois,

David M. Crawford.

VII. 291. Mary Crawford.

292. Josephine Crawford.

293. Elmer Crawford.

294. Robert G. Crawford.





295. Thomas Crawford.

296. Lawrence D. Crawford.

VI. 125. Frances A. Galt.

John Buyers, r. Sterling, Illinois.

VII. 297. Jessie Buyers,

298. Eliza Buyers.

299. Elizabeth Buyers.

300. Mary Buyers.

301. James A. Buyers.

302. Charles Buyers.

303. Thomas Buyers.

304. Donald E. Buyers.

305. Archibald Buyers, r. (1936) Washington, D. C.

(Mayor).

VI. 131. Amanda Galt, b. 1824; m. 1846.

James Crawford.

VII. 310. John Crawford,

VI. 132. Julia Ann Galt, b. 1826; d. 1859.

James Lowrie.

VII. ('Two children.)

VI. 133. Thomas Alexander Galt, b. 1828;

r. Sterling, Illinois.

1) Sallie Julina Jones.

2) Catherine Anthony.

3) Mary A. Ross.

VII. 1) 315. Elliot Leroy Galt.

2) 316. Helen Jane Galt.

317. William Erskine Galt, d. (in infancy).

318. Mary Permelia Galt Cook.



- 319. Sarah Julia Galt, d. in infancy.
- 320. Emily Catherine Galt Bassett, r. Elkhart, Ind.
- 321. Ruth Galt Murphy, r. Sterling, Illinois.

VI. 135. Azariah Thomas Galt, b. 1831;  
r. Chicago,  
Isabelle Mason Bross,

VII. 322. Arthur Galt.

VI. 136. John Martin Galt, b. 1835; d. 1889,  
Elizabeth McPharren,

- VII. 326. Bessie Ruth Galt Bowman,  
327. Katherine Galt,  
328. William Galt,  
329. John Galt,  
330. Julia Galt,  
331. Irma Galt.

VI. 137. Zadok T. Galt, b. 1837; d. 1891,  
Emily Mason.

VII. 340. Zadok T. Galt.

341. James Galt, m. Mrs. ? (nee McCartey).

VI. 150. William P. Galt.

(                      ),

- VII. 350. John P. Galt,  
351. William P. Galt,  
352. Agnes Galt.  
353. Eleanor Galt.

VII. 162. Katherine Darrah,

(                      ) Lawson,

- VIII. 400. James Lawson.  
401. Mary Lawson.





402. Henry Lawson,  
403. Edwin High Lawson.

VII. 163. Mary Darrah.  
( ) Wintermuth.

- VIII. 404. Goergiana Wintermuth.  
405. Leta Wintermuth.  
406. Katherine Wintermuth.

VII. 164. Rebecca Darrah,  
( ) Johnson.

- VIII. 407. Jessie Johnson.

VII. 166. Katherine Freeland, b. 1855;  
m. 1875.  
J. Erwin Reid, r. Philadelphia.

- VIII. 412. Eliza Reid.  
413. Mary H. Reid, b. 1878.  
414. Emily Nichols Reid, b. 1880.  
415. Alfred Reid, b. 1882.  
416. Florence Reid, b. 1884, r. Philadelphia (Teacher).  
417. Edward Parke Reid, b. 1885.

VII. 169. Robert Darrah.  
( ).

- VIII. 427. Dorothy Ida Darrah.

VII. 170. Jane P. Darrah.  
( ) Worthington.

- VIII. 428. Eleanor D. Worthington.

VII. 191. Mary Patterson, b. 1863; m. 1883;  
d. 1886.  
Bradford C. Church.





VIII. 450. John Letchworth Church, b. 1884.

451. Mary Galt Church, b. 1886; d. 1887.

VII. 192. Susan L. Patterson, b. 1864;  
m. 1884.

William H. Dudley, r. Council  
Bluffs, Iowa.

VIII. 452. Allan Harrington Dudley, b. 1885.

453. Mary Dudley, d. in infancy.

454. Chester Patterson Dudley, b. 1889.

455. Eusebia Hazel Dudley, b. 1891.

VII. 221. Thomas R. Galt, b. 1860; m. 1890,  
Florence Brown, b. 1870.

VIII. 460. Beulah Galt,

461. Junius D. Galt.

462. Juanita Galt.

463. Ruth Ann Galt, b. 1897; r. Colorado Springs; Col,

464. Marie Ellen Galt.

465. Thomas Martin Galt, b. 1903; r. Plainview,  
Texas,

466. Alta Galt.

467. Charles Galt, b. 1910; r. Hale Center, Texas.

VII. 222. Mary Isabella Galt, b. 1861.

William W. Ingalls, d. 1901.

VIII. 468. William Ingalls, b. 1890; r. Appleton City, Mo,

469. Grace Ingalls, b. 1892.

470. Harland Ingalls, b. 1893; d.

VII. 224. Minnie Margaret Galt, b. 1864.

Rev. Charles Eckles, r. Siam;  
Carlisle, Penn,



VIII. 475. John Eckles, b. 1899; m. Rosalind Erdmann;

r. Boston.

476. Annabel Eckles, b. 1897.

477. Mary Eckles, b. 1901; m. Pehr C. Klentman;

r. South America.

478. Charles Eckles, b. 1903; m. Kathleen Kelly;

r. Pullman, Washington (Professor);

479. Margaret Eckles b. 1904. r. Gettysburg. Penn.

(Librarian),

VII. 227. James Martin Galt, b. 1871;

r. Shawneetown, Ills. (Telegrapher).

Carrie McMarte,

VIII. 480. Maxwell Galt,

481. ( ) Galt (son).

VII. 227.1 Jeannette Happer Galt, b. 1873;  
d. 1926.

Benjamin Baskerville.

VIII. 482. Pauline Baskerville, b. 1904. (Teacher).

VIII. 227.2 Georgia Etta Galt, b. 1880.

r. Tacoma, Wash. (Teacher).

Sanford Heath.

VIII. 483. Alice Heath, b. 1904.

484. Louis Heath, b. 1907.

485. Bonnie May Heath, b. 1914.

VII. 230. Caroline Galt, b. 1871; m. 1912.

Rev. Charles Lindtwed, b. 1858;

r. Biglerville, Penn.

VIII. 490. John Lindtwed, b. 1917.

491. William Lindtwed.





- VII 234. Lida Galt, b. 1875; m. 1900.  
George Gelwicks, 1875; d. 1922;  
r. Hunan, China,
- VIII. 492. Paul Clinton Gelwicks, b. 1904; m. 1929;  
Mildred Dunn,
493. Margaret Mary Gelwicks, b. 1902; d. 1907,
494. Harold Galt Gelwicks, b. 1910,
- VII, 236. Amos Allan Galt, b. 1866;  
m. 1) 1891; 2) 1938; r. Hughson,  
California, (Banker),  
1) Annie Cameron,  
2) Bertie Conrad,
- VIII. 1) 500. Maurice Allan Galt.
501. Stuart Clark Galt,
502. Curtis Martin Galt.
503. Clarence Livingston Galt.
504. Ellis C. Galt,
- VII, 239. Howard Spilman, b. 1872;  
m. 1899; r. Peiping, China,  
(Professor),  
Louise Alberta West, b. 1876,
- VIII. 505. Mable Mildred Galt,
506. Miner Spilman Galt, b. 1902; d. 1902.
507. Lawrence Lester Galt, b. 1903 m. 1927;  
Adiline Shaw, r. Los Angeles, California,
508. Dorothy Gertrude Galt.
509. Wendell West Galt, b. 1915; r. Los Angeles, Calif,
510. Sheffield Spilman Galt, b. 1917.
- VII. 240. Harvey Happer Galt, b. 1875;  
m. 1899; r. Kirkland, Wash,  
Maude Hamilton, b. 1877,





VIII. 512. Agnes Lucile Galt

513. Byron Galt, b. 1905; r. Seattle, Wash. (Engineer).

514. Donald Galt, b. 1908; m. 1935, Elsie Baker;  
r. Seattle, Washington, (Engineer).

VII. 241. Charles Andrew Galt, b. 1878;  
m. 1) 1903; 2) 1931 r. Topeka,  
Kansas.

1) Carrie Lapp, d.

2) Ann Manley.

VIII, 1) 515. Howard Milton Galt, b. 1908; m. 1933,  
Marie Everett.

516. Ruth Galt, b. 1910,

517. Rachel Corinne Galt, b. 1913; m. 1935;  
Charles Lindsay.

VII, 242. Reuben Pierson Galt, b. 1880;  
m. 1904; r. Silver City, Iowa.  
Blanche Weston.

VIII, 518. Eleanor Louise Galt,

519. Harold Galt, b. 1913; m. 1936; Clara ( ).

VII. 243. Elmer W. Galt, b. 1883; m. 1909;  
r. Paotingfu, China,  
Altie Cummings.

VIII. 520. Ralph Galt, b. 1915,

521. Edith Galt, b. 1917.

522. Faith Galt, b. 1919,

VII, 244. Truman F. Galt, b. 1885; m. 1910.  
r. Shenandoah, Iowa,  
Etta McCormick.

VIII. 523. Lowell Galt, b. 1911; m.



- VII. 245. Martin H. Galt, b. 1892; m. 1919;  
r. Portland, Oregon,  
Elsie Lee,
- VIII. 524. John Galt, b. 1920.  
525. Thomas Galt, b. 1923.
- VII. 246. Alice Laura Galt, b. 1896, m.  
1) 1923, 2) 1936 r. New Haven,  
Connecticut.  
1) Harold Lund.  
2) Alfred H. Marshall.
- VIII. 1) 526. Joan Lund, b. 1924.  
527. Thomas Lund, b. 1925.
- VII. 252. Sarah Happer Galt, b. 1880;  
m. 1902; d. 1935.  
Charles C. Whipple, r. Plainsfield,  
Illinois.
- VIII. 530. Virginia Galt Whipple b. 1906, m. Wm. Holland,  
Los Angeles,  
531. Galt Len Whipple, b. 1911,
- VII. 254. Emma Bergen Galt, b. 1873.  
George Schrader, b. 1872;  
d. 1930; r. St. Louis.
- VIII. 532. Eugene Schrader, b. 1896; m. Marian Sturdevant,  
533. Galt Schrader, b. 1899; m. Mildred Knox.  
534. Carolyn Schrader, b. 1902; m. John B. Duven,
- VII. 255. Arthur Fisher Galt, b. 1878;  
r. St. James Missouri. (Farmer),  
Bessie Snyder.
- VIII. 435. Clarence Galt, r. St. Louis,





- VII. 257. Louisa Moore Galt, b. 1880.  
Alvin Viney, r. Pasadena, Calif.
- VIII. 436. Alvin Galt Viney. (Graduate of West Point.)  
437. Louis King Viney.  
438. Emily Louise Viney.
- VII. 259. Charles Elijah Galt, b. 1888;  
r. St. Louis.  
Julia Brooks, b. 1889.
- VIII. 439. Charles E. Galt, b. 1915.  
440. Mary Louise Galt, b. 1917.  
441. Judith Brooks Galt, b. 1917.
- VII. 260. Martin Epler Galt, b. 1891;  
r. St. Louis.  
Carrie Scott, b. 1891.
- VIII. 442. Martin E. Galt, b. 1915.  
443. David Brown Galt, b. 1919.  
444. Noel Galt, b. 1922; d. 1926.  
445. Stewart Scott Galt, b. 1927.
- VII. 261. Albert Carpenter Galt, b. 1894;  
r. Little Rock, Arkansas.  
Dorothy Edna Maxwell, b. 1894.
- VIII. 446. Robert Maxwell Galt, b. 1914.  
447. Mary Elizabeth Galt, b. 1923.
- VII. 262. Alexander Galt Giffen.  
( ).
- VIII. 540. James Galt Giffen.  
241. Henry Giffen.  
542. Karl Giffen.





- VII. 263. Robert Emmet Giffen,  
( ).
- VIII. 543. Fannie Giffen.  
544. Anna Giffen.
- VII. 267. John Showalter Galt, b. 1880;  
m. 1919. (?).  
Virginia Detweiler,
- VIII. 545. John Gillespie Galt.  
546. Howard Thomas Galt.  
547. Frances Galt,
- VII. 269. Abraham Lincoln Galt, b. 1884.  
Sarah Schlicter,
- VIII. 548. John Showalter Galt.  
549. Samuel Galt, m. (2 children).  
550. Sarah Galt.
- VII. 270. Henrietta Martin Galt, b. 1886,  
Davis Bauman,
- VIII. 551. Elias Nichols Bauman.  
552. Margaret Bauman.
- VII. 271. Smith Patterson Galt, b. 1886,  
Mabel Schlicter.
- VIII. 553. Marie Galt.
- VII. 276. Frances Rutherford.  
Mathew Elder.
- VIII. 560. John Elder.  
561. James Galt Elder.  
562. Edwin Brisbin Elder.
- VII. 286. Edgar H. Galt,  
( ),
- VIII. 570. Ralph Galt.



VII. 293. Elmer Crawford.  
( )

VIII. 580. Irene Crawford.

581. Cora Crawford,

582. Jeannette Crawford,

583. Letitia Crawford,

VII. 315. Elliott Leroy Galt,

( )

VIII. 600. Thomas Arthur Galt,

601. Donald Alexander Galt,

602. Margaret Galt,

603. Helen Galt,

VII. 316. Helen Galt.

( ) Brookfield,

VIII. 610. Emily (Mary ?) Brookfield,

611. Frances Brookfield,

612. Galt Brookfield.

VIII. 413. Eliza Reid, b. 1876; m. 1898.

William B. Rauch, r. Philadelphia.

IX. 800. Louis Edward Rauch, b. 1900.

VIII. 435. Clarence Galt,

Minnie Snead,

IX. 810. Homer Galt,

811. Warren Galt.

VIII. 438. Emily Louise Viney.

John E Coit, M. D.

IX. 812. Eleanor Coit.

813. Francis Coit,

814. Lucy Coit,





VIII. 460. Boulah Galt, b. 1891; m. 1913,  
Walter Graham, r. Ima, New Mex.  
(Farmer).

- IX. 820. Helen Graham, b. 1915.  
821. Ballard Graham, b. 1913.  
822. Howard Graham, b. 1921.  
823. Thomas Graham, b. 1923.  
824. Mary Graham, b. 1925.  
825. Charles Graham, b. 1927.

VIII. 461. Junius D. Galt, b. 1890 (1893?);  
m. 1929, r. Big Springs, Tex.  
(Machinist).  
( ).

- IX. 826. Henry Dec'ose Galt, b. 1929.

VIII. 462. Juanita Galt, b. 1895; m. 1915,  
( ) Ferguson, r. Colorado  
Springs.

830. Joseph Ferguson, b. 1915.  
831. Clyde Ferguson, d.  
832. June Ferguson, b. 1917.  
833. Thomas Ferguson, b. 1919.

VIII. 464. Marie Ellen Galt, b. 1899; m. 1919,  
( ) Ferguson, r. Hale Center,  
Texas.

- IX. 834. Dora Marie Ferguson, b. 1920.  
835. Betty Jo Ferguson, b. 1923.  
836. Kathleen Ferguson, b. 1927.

VIII. 466. Alta Galt, b. 1903.

( ) West, r. Munday, Tex.

- IX. 840. Alta Marie West, b. 1927.





VIII, 476. Annabel Eckles b. 1897.  
Hubert Kelly, r. Kansas City.  
(Editor).

IX. 850. Hubert Kelly, b. 1927.

851. Phillip Kelley, b. 1929.

VIII. 500. Maurice Allan Galt, b. 1893;  
m. 1917.

Stella Wheeland.

IX. 861. Veryl Esther Galt, b. 1918.

862. Marion Helen Galt, 1922.

863. Murray Wallace Galt, b. 1925.

864. Dorothy Ann Galt, b. 1930.

VIII. 501. Stuart Clark Galt, b. 1895;

m. 1917.

Myrtle Jenkins, d. 1937.

IX. 867. Byron Allan Galt, 1918.

868. Ruth Mary Galt, b. 1920.

869. Kenneth Lee Galt, b. 1924.

VIII. 502. Curtis Martin Galt, b. 1896;

m. 1921.

Mabel Moore.

IX. 871. Jean Galt, b. 1925.

872. Allan Moore Galt, b. 1927.

873. Alice Galt, b. 1931.

874. Cornelia Galt, b. 1935.

VIII. 503. Clarence Livingston Galt, b. 1898.  
m. 1922.

Margaret Bracken.

IX. 877. Robert Warren Galt, b. 1923.

878. Bruce Cameron Galt, b. 1925.



- VIII. 504. Ellis C. Galt, b. 1907; m, 1930.  
Margaret Carroll.
- IX. 881. Jeannette Marie Galt, b. 1933.  
882. James Douglas Galt, b. 1935.
- VIII. 505. Mable Mildred Galt, b. 1900;  
m. 1924.  
Robert Raible,
- IX. 885. Peter Spilman Raible, b. 1929.  
886. Christopher Gist Raible, b. 1933.
- VIII. 508. Dorothy Gertude Galt, b. 1907;  
m. 1928,  
Roger MacArthur.
- IX. 888. Daniel Galt MacAuthur, b. 1930.
- VIII. 512. Agnes Lucile Galt, b. 1901;  
m. 1921.  
Leslie H. Kirry, d,
- IX. 891. Robert Henry Kirry, b. 1922.
- VIII. 518. Eleanor Louise Galt, b. 1908;  
m, 1930, Virgil Frazier,
- IX. 895. Keith Frazier, b. 1933,
- VIII. 523. Lowell Galt,  
( ),
- IX. 898. Carolyn Jean Galt, b. 1936,





## Appendix IV GENEALOGY OF VIRGINIA GALTS

### A. The Eastern Virginia Galts

The genealogy as listed below is based upon a chart supplied the present writer by Miss Mary Meares Galt, prepared by her brother Roger Harrison Galt in 1934.

The form and notation have been modified to correspond with the scheme used here.

I. 1. Samuel Galt, b. (about) 1700; d. 1760  
or 1761, r. Elizabeth City  
County, Virginia; Later,  
Williamsburg.

1) ( )

2) Lucy Ballard Cleiland (widow  
of James Cleiland).

II. 1) 2. William Galt.

3. Samuel Galt.

4. Dickie Galt.

("Samuel & Dickie Galt are apparently  
sons of Samuel by his first marriage.")

2) 5. Sarah Galt, m. William Trebell.

6. James Galt.

7. John Minson Galt.

8. Patrick Galt, Surgeon, Washington's Army, 1776-7  
d. 1777.

II. 2. William Galt.

III. 9. Gabriel Galt,

II. 3. Samuel Galt, m. 1758, (Sea Captain)  
Sarah Jeffery (widow).

III. 10. Thomas Galt (?).

11. Sarah Galt.





## II. 4. Dickie Galt.

( ) Banthall (of Eastern Shore, Va.)

## III. 12. Samuel Galt.

II. 6. James Galt, b. 1748; (Lieutenant Rev. War; Superintendent Hospital for Insane, Williamsburg) m. 1) 1765, 2) 1780; d. 1800.

1) Mary English, b. 1742; d. 1778.

2) Mary W. Taylor, b. 1761; d. 1813.

## III. 1) 13. William Trebell Galt.

14. Samuel Galt, b. 1771.

15. Lucy Scervant Galt.

16. Charles Lee Galt, b. 1775; d. 1798.

2) 17. Sarah Galt, b. 1781; d. 1782.

18. James Galt, b. 1783; d. 1807.

19. John Minson Galt.

20. Dickie Galt, b. 1787; d. 1796.

21. Gabriel Galt.

22. Bertrand Scervant Galt, b. 1791; d. 1815.

23. Alexander Galt.

24. Sarah Trebell Galt.

25. Patrick Galt, b. 1797; (Colonel U. S. Army, Mexican War.)

26. Dickie Galt, b. 1797 (twin of above), m. Anne Howard.

27. Mary Elizabeth Galt, 1801.

II. 7. John Minson Galt, b. 1744; (Surgeon, Rev. War; Attending Phys., Hospital for Insane); d. 1808.

Judith Craig.

## III. 28. William C. Galt,



29. Alexander Dickie Galt.
30. Sarah Trebell Galt, m. William Browne (Judge.  
See Kentucky Branch).
31. Judith Galt.
- III. 9. Gabriel Galt, b. 1748; r. Richmond,  
Virginia.  
Elizabeth Ege.
- IV. 32. Mary Dorothea Galt, m. Alexander Dickie Galt.  
(See III, 29.)
- 32.a. William Galt.
- 32.b. John Galt.
33. Elizabeth Galt.
- III, 11. Sarah Galt, d. 1801.
- 1) Andrew Purviance.
- 2) James Young, m. 1784.
- IV. 1) 34. Sarah Hunter Purviance, b. 1781; m. William  
Leigh; d. 1803.
- 2) 35. Anne Ballard Young, b. 1786.
36. William Young, b. 1798.
- III. 12. Samuel Galt, b. 1763; (Physician);  
d. 1796.
- ( ) Parker.
- IV. 37. (Daughter).
- III, 13. William Trebell Galt, b. 1769;  
(Mayor of Williamsburg; Manager of  
Hospital); d. 1826.
- 1) ( ) Barbour (nee Johnson.)
- 2) Mary Arnet Goodwin, m. 1786.
- IV. 2) 38. Lucy Jane Galt, b. 1811; m. 1830, Edmund  
W. Cabell. (Children died young).
39. Gabriella Galt, b. 1813.





40. William Trebell Galt, b. 1814.

41. Virginia Gabriella Galt, b. 1816; d. 1891.

42. Sally Trebell Galt, b. 1819.

43. Mary Arnet Goodwin Galt, b. 1820.

III. 15. Lucy Scervant Galt, b. 1773; d. 1849,  
John Saunders.

IV. 44. John Saunders.

45. William J. Saunders. (minister),

46. Lucy Saunders.

47. Sarah Saunders.

III. 19. John Minson Galt, b. 1785; d. 1814,  
Nancy Herbert.

IV. 48. John Minson Galt.

III. 21. Gabriel Galt, b. 1789; (Officer, War  
of 1812), d. 1836,  
Betsy Browne.

IV. 49. Gabriel Alexander Dickie Galt, b. 1834; (Physi-  
cian; Inventor of Trephine); m. Rosamond  
Beale; d. 1908.

III. 23. Alexander Galt, b. 1793; r. Norfolk,  
Virginia; d. 1855.

1) Mary Sylvester Jeffery, b. 1796;  
d. 1840.

2) Mary Anne Raincock, m. 1846.

IV. 1) 50. George N. Galt, b. 1817; d. 1818.

51. William Richard Galt.

52. Alexina Galt, b. 1820.

53. Anna Jeffery Galt, b. 1822.

54. Sarah Caroline Galt, b. 1825; d. 1829.

55. Alexander Galt, b. 1827; (Sculptor; Col.,  
C. S. A.); d. 1863.





56. James Galt, b. 1829; d. 1830.  
57. Aaron Jeffery Galt, b. 1829; d. 1830.  
58. James Dickie Galt, b. 1831; (Surgeon C. S. A.)  
d. 1888.
- 2) 59. Edward Pegram Galt.  
60. Patrick Galt, d. in infancy.  
61. Mary Galt, d. in infancy.
- III. 24. Sarah Trébell Galt, b. 1795.  
Richard Capron.
- IV. 62. Mary Capron, m. ( ) Saunders.  
63. Anne Capron.  
64. Lucy Capron, m. ( ) Arnold.  
65. Charlotte Capron.  
66. Gabriel Capron.
- III. 28. William C. Galt, r. Kentucky. (See  
Kentucky Branch).  
( ).
- IV. 67. Norberne Galt, (Physician).
- III. 29. Alexander Dickie Galt, b. 1771;  
(Physician, Williamsburg Hospital  
for Insane); d. 1840.  
Mary Dorothea Galt, (See IV, 32).
- IV. 68. Alexander Galt.  
69. Elizabeth J. Galt, (Poet).  
70. John Minson Galt, b. 1819; (Physician, Williams-  
burg Hospital for Insane); d. 1862.  
71. Sarah Marie Galt, b. 1822; d. 1880.
- IV. 33. Elizabeth Galt.  
Thomas Williamson.
- V. 72. Gabriel Galt Williamson.



73. John Galt Williamson, (Physician); d. 1861.  
IV. 45. William J. Saunders,  
( ).
- V. 74. William Saunders, m. (daughters).  
IV. 48. John Minson Galt, (U. S. A.;  
C. S. A. d. 1868,  
Anne W. Land, b. 1814; d. 1884,
- V. 75. Francis Land Galt,  
76. Mary Eliza Galt, b. 1835; m. Samuel T. Bonce,  
(Child died young).  
77. Emily Virginia Galt, b. 1837; d. 1914.  
78. Louisa Emmerson Galt,  
79. Lucy Bertrand Galt.  
80. Arthur Emmerson Galt, b. 1843; d. 1844.  
81. John Minson Galt, b. 1845; d. 1863.  
82. Herbert Taylor Galt, b. 1846; d. 1877.  
83. Anna Gardener Galt, b. 1849.  
84. Fanny Leigh Galt.  
85. Henry Williamson Galt.  
86. Arthur Emmerson Galt,  
IV. 51. William Richard Galt, b. 1818;  
m. 1843; d. 1892; (Educator).  
Mary Williams Ware, b. 1824;  
d. 1897.
- V. 87. Mary Jeffery Galt, b. 1844; d. 1922; (Sculptor),  
88. Alexander Patrick Galt, b. 1845; d. 1850.  
89. Robert Ware Galt,  
90. Rogers Harrison Galt.  
91. William Wilson Galt.  
92. Susan Williams Ware Galt,  
93. James Silvester Galt,





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94. John Minson Galt, (Physician),

95. Anne Alexina Galt,

96. Alexander Galt, (minister),

IV. 59. Edward Pegram Galt, b. 1847;  
r. Alabama.

97. Anne Riggs.

V. 97. Gena Moore Galt, b. 1872; d. 1884.

98. William Clark Galt.

99. Edward P. Galt, b. 1878; d. 1889.

100. Annie Riggs Galt, b. 1882; d. 1882.

101. Junius Riggs Galt.

102. Mary Alexander Galt, b. 1888; d. 1909.

V. 72. Gabriel Galt Williamson, (Captian  
U. S. N.)

1) Elizabeth Gatewood.

2) Gabriella Woolfork.

VI. 103. Elizabeth Williamson, m. Randolph Harrison;  
(Col. C. S. A.) (children).

V. 75. Francis Land Galt, b. 1833; d. 1915;  
(Surgeon U. S. N. and C. S. N.)

Lucy Harrison Randolph.

VI. 104. Herbert Randolph Galt,

105. Eva Dulaney Galt.

V. 78. Louisa Emmerson Galt, b. 1839;  
d. 1906.

Thomas G. Baylor, (Colonel U. S. A.)

VI. 106. Kate Baylor.

107. John G. Baylor.

V. 79. Lucy Bertrand Galt, b. 1841; d. 1890.

Mauice Hamner Garland, b. 1841;  
d. 1909.





VI. 108. Anne Louise Garland, b. 1870; d. 1873.

109. Mary Lightfoot Garland, (Librarian, Richmond),

110. Landon Cabell Garland, b. 1876; d. 1902.

111. Herbert Garland, b. 1880, (1st L't U. S. A.,  
1917-19).

V. 89. Robert Ware Galt, b. 1847; d. 1923;  
(Chief Engineer U. S. N.)

Mary Frances Butt, d. 1893.

VI. 112. Mary Ware Galt,

V. 90. Rogers Harrison Galt, b. 1850;  
m. 1884; d. 1910; (Commodore  
U. S. A.)

Mary Meares.

VI. 113. Mary Meares Galt, (Professor),

114. Elizabeth Ashe Galt.

115. Rogers Harrison Galt.

116. John Meares Galt.

V. 91. William Wilson, b. 1852; d. 1934;  
(Captain U. S. N.)

Mary Blair Grigsby, d. 1916.

VI. 117. Hugh Blair Grigsby Galt, m. 1918, Barbara Hoge,  
(Attorney),

118. William Richard Galt.

119. Robert Ware Galt, d. 1918.

120. Mary Carrington Galt, m. 1934, Deane Harold  
Vance, Surgeon U. S. N.

121. Susan Duane Galt.

122. Carrington Grigsby Galt.

V. 92. Susan Williams Ware Galt, m. 1891,  
Alexander Duane, b. 1858; d. 1925;  
(M. D., D. Sc.),



VI. 123. Alexander Galt Duane, (Killed in action, France, 1918).

124. Robert Livingstone Duane, m. 1) Marjorie Cluett  
2) Elizabeth Musgrave, (Lt. U. S. M. C.)

125. William Richard Galt Duane.

V. 96. Alexander Galt, (Minister).  
Emily Cocke;

VI. 126. Elizabeth Welsh Galt.

127. William Galt, d. 1892.

128. Alexander Galt,

129. Mary William Ware Galt,

130. Annie Alexina Galt.

131. Virginia Poythress Galt, m. Elmer Wood.

132. Emily Horner Galt,

133. Henry Teller Galt, m. Mary Elizabeth Swearingen.

V. 98. William Clark Galt, b. 1875.  
Minnie Eggleston.

VI. 134. Edward Pegram Galt.

135. William Eggleston Galt.

V. 101. Junius Riggs Galt, b. 1885.

Evelyn Somerville Bibb.

VI. 136. Jane Somerville Galt.

137. Edward Alexander Galt.

VI. 104. Herbert Randolph Galt, b. 1881;

d. 1926; r. St. Paul; (Journalist).

Elsie Robinson Andrews.

VII. 150. John Randolph Galt.

151. Elizabeth Galt.

VI. 105. Eva Dulaney Galt, b. 1883; d. 1931.

Harry Nevil.

VII. 160. Harry Nevil, b. 1918.





- VI. 106. Kate Baylor,  
( ) Perley, (Surgeon, U. S. N.)
- VII. 170. Baylor Perley, d. 1906,  
171. Lois Perley.
- VI. 112. Mary Ware Galt,  
Virginus Lee Kirby, (L't, U. S. N.)
- VII. 180. Anne Galt Kirby, b. 1923.
- VI. 114. Elizabeth Ashe Galt, m. 1916,  
Paul Wells, (Major U. S. A.;  
Professor),
- VII. 190. Mary Jeffery Welles, b. 1917.  
191. Paul Welles, b. 1920,  
192. Rogers Galt Welles, b. 1922.  
193. Francis Raymond Welles, b. 1924.  
194. John Galt Welles, b. 1925.
- VI. 115. Rogers Harrison Galt, m. 1922;  
(U. S. A., 1917-19).  
Elizabeth Bowler.
- VII. 201. Elizabeth Allen Galt, b. 1925,  
202. Mary Eva Galt, b. 1927,  
203. Eva Redwood Galt, 1929.
- VI. 116. John Meares Galt, m. 1933;  
(1st L't, U. S. A., 1917-19).  
Jane Frances Handiboe.
- VII. 211. Anne Galt, b. 1934.
- VII. 118. William Richard Galt, (L't U. S. A.,  
1917-19).  
Maria Ward Skelton.
- VII. 221. William Richard Galt, b. 1916.  
222. Hugh Skelton Galt b. 1920; d. 1920,





- VI. 121. Susan Duane Galt.  
Alfred Zimmermann, (Commander,  
U. S. N.)
- VII. 231. Alfred Zimmermann, b. 1916; d. 1938.  
232. Richard Galt Zimmermann.
- VI. 122. Carrington Grigsby Galt.  
m. 1) Elizabeth Bodowin.  
2) Martha L. Roberts.
- VII. 235. Alice Blair Galt.
- VI. 125. William Richard Galt Duane.  
Gertrude Birdsall.
- VII. 241. William Richard Galt Duane, b. 1928.
- VI. 126. Elizabeth Welsh Galt, m. 1907.  
William Davidson Alexander.
- VII. 251. Emily Alexander.  
252. Elizabeth Alexander, m. Charles Pollard.  
253. Williamson Davidson Alexander.  
254. Robert Galt Alexander.  
255. Henry Alexander) Twins.  
256. John Alexander)
- VI. 128. Alexander Galt, (Captain U. S. M. C.)  
Virginia Ficklin.
- VII. 261. Virginia Ficklin Galt.
- VI. 129. Mary Williams Ware Galt.  
Ogle Ridout Singleton.
- VII. 271. Ogle Ridout Singleton.
- VI. 130. Annie Alexina Galt.  
Hurst Woodring.
- VII. 281. Anne Woodring.



- VI. 132. Emily Horner Galt.  
George Bready.
- VII. 291. William Alexander Bready, b. 1926.  
292. George Galt Bready, b. 1929.
- VI. 134. Edward Pegram Galt, b. 1901,  
Beulah Pelty(?).
- VII. 296. Anne Eggleston Galt,  
VII. 171. Lois Perley.  
Sidney Phelan.
- VIII. 301. William Balfour Phelan.

#### B. The Kentucky Branch of the Eastern Virginia Galts

Note---. The notation begins with III, 28, of the Eastern Virginia genealogy list. The personal numbers in this branch begin with 501. The list below is based upon a chart supplied by William Galt Brown (VI,535) of St. Louis.

- III. 28. William Craig Galt, m. 1802.  
Matilda Aylett Beall.  
Removed from Williamsburg Va., to  
Louisville, Kentucky after 1805.  
(Physician).
- IV. 501. Norborne Alexander Galt.
- III. 30. Sarah Trebell (?) Maria (?) Galt,  
b. 1790; d. 1844.  
William Browne, (Judge), 1787-1855,
- IV. 502. Virginia Lafayette Browne.





IV. 501. Norborne Alexander Galt, b. 1805;  
m. 1826; d. 1844, (Physician.)  
Elizabeth Mildred Thompson Gray,  
1808-1885.

- V. 503. William Henry Galt,  
504. Matilda Ann Maupin Galt, b. 1829; d. 1829.  
505. John Thompson Gray Galt.  
506. Mary Ormsby Galt, b. 1833; d. 1833.  
507. Norborne Browne Galt, b. 1835; d. 1836.  
508. Matilda Elizabeth Galt.  
509. Alexander Weeden Galt, b. 1839; d. 1840.  
510. Elizabeth Gray Galt.  
511. Anita Anderson Galt, b. 1843; d. 1861.  
512. Norborne Alexina Galt.

IV. 502. Virginia Lafayette Browne, b. 1824;  
m. 1842; d. 1902; r. Louisville Ky.  
George Wood Bayless, (Physician).  
1817-1873.

- V. 513. Benjamin Bayless,  
514. George Bayless.  
514a. Mary Bayless.  
515. Virginia Bayless, m. J. Hope Lindemberger.  
516. Maria Bayless, m. J. W. O'Bannon.  
517. A daughter, m. F. E. French.

V. 503. William Henry Galt, b. 1827  
m. 1849; d. 1893, (Physician.)  
Elizabeth Thruston Pope,  
1827-1883.

- VI. 518. Sarah Pope Galt, d. in infancy.  
519. Elizabeth Ormsby Galt, d. in infancy.  
520. Alexina Norborne Nicholas Galt, d. in infancy.





- 521. Urath Pope Galt, d. 1930.
- 522. Selena Gray Galt.
- 523. John Galt.
- 524. Ellen Pope Thruston Galt.
- 525. Patrick Pope Galt.
- 526. Hamilton Pope Galt.
- V. 505. John Thompson Gray Galt, b. 1830;  
m. 1856; d. 1892.
- VI. 527. A daughter.
- 528. Henry Creel Galt.
- V. 508. Matilda Elizabeth Galt, b. 1837;  
m. 1855; d. 1898.  
Arthur Brown, 1834-1911.
- VI. 529. James Lawrence Brown.
- 530. Norborne Galt Brown, b. 1858; d. 1860.
- 531. Arthur Lindsay Brown, b. 1860; d. 1865.
- 532. William Galt Brown, b. 1862; d. 1865.
- 532a. Anita Galt Brown, b. 1865; d. 1866.
- 533. Alexander Galt Brown.
- 534. Arthur Aylett Brown.
- 535. William Galt Brown, Unmarried.
- 536. Harry Lawrence Brown, Unmarried.
- 537. John Galt Brown, b. 1877; d. 1877.
- 538. Matilda Elizabeth Galt Brown, Unmarried.
- 539. Norborne Effingham Brown.
- V. 510. Elizabeth Gray Galt, b. 1841,  
Stephen Fannin Chipley.
- VI. 540. William Galt Chipley.
- 541. Anita Galt Chipley, Unmarried.
- 542. Stephen Fannin Chipley.
- 543. Alexina Galt Chipley.



544. Simon Buckner Chipley.

545. Mary Elizabeth Chipley.

V. 512. Norborne Alexina Galt, b. 1845;  
m. 1868; d. 1858.

Arthur Lee Robinson, 1843-1899.

VI. 546. Alexander Galt Robinson.

V. 513. Benjamin Bayless; b. 1844;

r. Evanston, Illinois.

Wilhelmine K. Crawford, 1848-1878.

VI. Wilhelmine K. Bayless, b. 1878; m. Raymond S. Willis,  
r. New Jersey.

V. 514. George Bayless.

( ) Lyle.

VI. 548. Benjamin Lyle Bayless.

V. 514a. Mary Bayless.

Sidney Hollis.

VI. 549. Virginia Hollis.

VI. 522. Selena Gray Galt, m. 1883.

Robert Hord Ingram.

VII. 551. Alexander Galt Ingram.

552. Stuart Hord Ingram.

553. William Galt Ingram.

554. Richard Foote Ingram.

555. Selena Pope Ingram.

VI. 523. John Galt. (Physician).

1) Madison Talbot Ross.

2) Mattie ( ).

VII. 1) 561. Laura Talbot Galt.

2) 562. William Galt.

VI. 526. Hamilton Pope Galt.

Maude Grichton.





VII. 571. Urath Pope Galt, d. 1912.

VI. 528. Henry Creel Galt.

Mary Miller,

VII. 581. Mary Elizabeth Galt.

VI. 529. James Lawrence Brown, b. 1856;

d. 1931, r. Jefferson Co., Ky.

Ida Jernagan,

VII. 591. Arthur Lawrence Brown, b. 1900; d. 1903.

592. Winifred Annica Brown, b. 1902.

593. Elizabeth Gray Brown, b. 1904; m. Jesse Street.

VI. 533. Alexander Galt Brown, b. 1867.

r. Pensacola, Florida.

Adeline Elizabeth Sweeting, d. 1911,

VII. 601. James Lawrence Brown, b. 1900.

602. Clara Rosalie Brown, b. 1902; m. William  
Robinson.

603. Alexander Galt Brown, b. 1904.

604. Urath Brown, b. 1908.

605. William Welsh Brown, b. 1910.

VI. 534. Arthur Aylett Brown, b. 1869;

m. 1895; d. 1936.

May Cameron Anderson.

VII. 611. Mildred Cameron Brown.

612. Matilda Galt Brown, b. 1898.

613. Margaret Ormsby Brown.

614. William Aylett Brown.

615. Lawrence Forman Brown, b. 1905; m. Antoinette  
La Barge.

616. Malcolm Cameron Brown.

617. Norborne Alexander Brown.

618. Halcott Anderson Brown, b. 1911.





- VI. 539. Norborne Effingham Brown.  
Effie Gray Barnett.
- VII. 621. Norborne Barnett Brown.
- VI. 540. William Galt Chipley.  
( ) Grigler.
- VII. 631. William Chipley.
- VI. 543. Alexina Galt Chipley.  
Isaac Hugh Aiken, (Captain).
- VII. 641. Elizabeth Aiken.
- VI. 546. Alexander Galt Robinson, b. 1838;  
m. 1903.  
Maria Lewis Booker.
- VII. 651. Ansley Booker Robinson, d. in youth.  
652. Alexina Galt Robinson.  
653. Elizabeth Lewis Robinson.
- VII. 581. Mary Elizabeth Galt.  
Richard B. Bell.
- VIII. 661. John Galt Bell.  
662. Mary Embry Bell.
- VII. 611. Mildred Cameron Brown, b. 1896;  
m. 1921.  
Enoch B. McIntosh, (Liutenant,  
U. S. N. Aviation Corps) d. 1928.
- VIII. 665. Mildred Cameron McIntosh, b. 1923.
- VII. 613. Margaret Ormsby Brown, b. 1901;  
m. 1919.  
Hobart Arthur Whitney.
- VIII. 671. Margaret Elizabeth Whitney, b. 1920.  
672. Claire May Whitney, b. 1922.  
673. Hobart Arthur Whitney, b. 1924.



674. Richard Abbott Whitney, b. 1932.
- VII. 614. William Aylett Brown, b. 1903;  
m. 1926.  
Minnie Mavis Solomon.
- VIII. 681. William Aylett Brown, b. 1927.
- VII. 616. Malcolm Cameron Brown, b. 1907;  
m. 1929.  
Fairlie Mathews Armistead.
- VIII. 691. Fairlie Armistead Brown, b. 1932.
- VII. 617. Norborne Alexander Brown,  
b. 1909; m. 1930.  
Mary Louise Logan.
- VIII. 701. Sara Ann Brown, b. 1931.
702. Norborne Alexander Brown, b. 1935.
- VII. 652. Alexina Galt Robinson, m. 1930,  
Carl V. Wilson.
- VIII. 711. Bruce Booker Wilson.
712. Frances Lee Wilson.
- VII. 653. Elizabeth Lewis Robinson,  
Roscoe Charles Wilson,  
(L't U. S. N.)
- VIII. 721. Charles Wilson.
722. Elizabeth Galt Wilson.





### C. The Richmond, and Fluvanna County Galts

(The following list is incomplete and partly conjectural. See Text).

I. 1. William Galt, r. Richmond, V., d. 1825.

*See page 143* A second cousin of the father of John Galt, the Scotch Novelist, according to the letter from Dr. Dunlop. (See page 60).

( ).

II. 2. William Galt.

II. 2. William Galt, b. 1801; d. 1851.

Mary Bell Taylor.

III. 3. Mary Galt, (d. unmarried).

4. Thomas Taylor Galt, (d. unmarried).

5. Rosanna Galt, (d. unmarried).

6. James K. Galt, m. Julia Slaughter.

7. Lucy Mumford Galt, m. Judge William Henry Holman.

8. Jean Malcolm Galt.

9. William Galt, (Unmarried).

10. Fannie Elizabeth Galt.

11. Sallie Warnick Galt.

III. 8. Jean Malcolm Galt, b. 1839; m. 1858.

Alexander Fisher Kinney.

IV. 12. William Galt Kinney.

13. Mary Ambler Kinney.

14. Thomas Colston Kinney.

15. Lucy Galt Kinney, b. 1868.

16. Matilda Trout Kinney, b. 1873.

IV. 12. William Galt Kinney, b. 1859.

1) m. 1882, Gertrude C. Brooks,  
d. 1884.

2) m. 1889; Millie Margaret  
Robertson.





V. 17. Florine Fleming Kinney, b. 1890.

18. Jean Galt Kinney, b. 1893.

IV. 13. Mary Ambler Kinney, b. 1862,

McHenry Holliday, b. 1851.

V. 19. Malcomb Alexander Holliday, b. 1887.

20. Helen McHenry Holliday.

IV. 14. Thomas Colston Kinney, b. 1866,

1) Caroline Hancock Johnston.

2) Maude Ingles Francis.

V. 20. Helen McHenry Holliday.

Charles A. Holt.

#### Appendix V GENEALOGY OF MARYLAND GALTS

The data recorded below are taken from a genealogical chart prepared by George McFarland Galt, and supplied to the writer by his sister, Caroline M. Galt, of Mt. Holyoke College.

I. 1. Matthew Galt.

Elizabeth Simpson.

II. 2. Matthew Galt.

3. John Galt.

4. James Galt.

II. 2. Matthew Galt.

(            ),

III. 5. John Galt.

6. Peter Galt.

7. William Galt.

8. James Galt.

9. Joseph Galt.

10. Moses Galt.



11. Matthew Galt.
12. Elizabeth Galt.
13. Susannah Galt, m. ( ) Shaw.
14. Sterling Galt.
15. Rebecca Galt, m. 1) ( ) Grayson; 2) ( ) Shunk.
16. Samuel Galt.
17. Mary Galt, m. ( ) Jones.

II. 3. John Galt,  
( ).

- III. 18. (daughter) Mrs. Ewing.
19. (daughter) Mrs. Dinsmore.
  20. (daughter) Mrs. Brauner.
  21. (daughter) Mrs. Elizabeth Dysart.
  22. (daughter) Mrs. Mary Dysart.
  23. Abner Galt.
  24. ( son ).

II. 4. James Galt,  
( ).

- III. 25. (daughter) Mrs. Fisher.

III. 5. John Galt,  
( ).

- IV. 26. Joseph Galt,

III. 6. Peter Galt,  
( ).

- IV. 27. Lucretia Galt.
28. Henry Galt.
  29. John Murray Galt, (Physician).
  30. Washington Galt.
  31. Sarah Galt, m. ( ) Wallace.
  32. Mary Galt, m. ( ) Wilson.





III. 7. William Galt,

( ).

IV. 34. Mary E. Galt, m. ( ) Davis,

III. 8. James Galt.

( ),

IV. 35. George Sterling Galt,

36. James Veitch Galt.

37. William Galt.

38. Matthew William Galt.

39. Thomas I. Galt.

III. 10. Moses Galt.

( ).

IV. 40. Rebecca Galt.

41. Samuel Galt.

42. Catherine Galt, m. ( ) Kuntz.

43. Mary Galt, m. ( ) Longley.

III. 13. Susannah Galt.

( ) Shaw.

IV. 45. Washington Shaw.

46. Joseph Shaw.

47. Thomas Shaw.

48. Mary Shaw, m. ( ) Galt.

49. Elizabeth Shaw, m. ( ) Johnson.

III. 14. Sterling Galt.

( ).

IV. 50. Nancy Elizabeth Galt, m. John Murray Galt,

51. John Galt.

52. Mary Jane Galt.

53. Margaret Galt, m. ( ) Valentine,

54. George Grayson Galt.

55. William Matthew Galt.





56. Sterling Galt,

57. Henry Galt,

III. 15. Rebecca Galt.

1) ( ) Grayson; 2) ( ) Shunk.

IV. 58. Aberilla Shunk.

59. Mary Shunk.

III. 16. Samuel Galt.

( ).

IV. 60. Samuel Galt.

61. Elizabeth Galt, m. ( ) Farner.

62. Susanna Galt, m. ( ) Birnie,

63. Adelaide Galt.

64. James Crockette Galt.

65. Rebecca Galt.

66. Sophia Galt, m. ( ) Smith.

67. Mary A. Galt, m. ( ) Leidy.

68. Ellen Galt.

69. Ursula Galt, m. ( ) Reindollar.

70. Sarah Galt.

71. Washington Galt.

III. 17. Mary Galt.

( ) Jones.

IV. 72. James Jones.

73. John Jones.

74. Thomas Jones,

75. William Jones,

76. Matthew Jones,

77. Hanna Mary Jones, m. ( ) Wilson.

III. 21. Mrs. Brauner.

( ) Brauner.

IV. 79. Catherine Brauner.



( ) Dysart.

IV. 29. John Murray Galt, (Physician).

V. 81. Margaret E. Galt.

82. John Murray Galt.

83. Mary Jane Galt.

IV. 30. Washington Galt.

( ).

V. 84. Mary Galt.

85. Sarah Galt.

86. Robert Galt.

IV. 31. Sarah Galt. . . 50

( ) Wallace.

V. 87. William Wallace.

88. Eliza Wallace, m. ( ) Winslow,

89. Mary Wallace.

90. Sarah Wallace, m. ( ) Pierce.

91. Peter Galt Wallace.

92. John Wallace.

93. Bruce Wallace.

IV. 34. Mary E. Galt. 1875. 11

( ).

V. 94. Henry E. Davis.

95. Galt Davis.

96. Josephine Davis.

IV. 38. Matthew William Galt.

52. Mary Jane Galt.

V. 97. Charles Ernest Galt.

98. Annie A. Galt, m. ( ) Fandell,





99. Walter Allen Galt.

100. Norman Galt, b. 1866; m. 1896, Edith Bolling;  
r. Washington D. C.; d. 1908.

101. Sterling Galt.

IV. 39. Thomas I. Galt.

( ).

V. 102. Nellie Galt.

103. Jane Galt, m. ( ) Elliott.

104. Hunter Galt.

IV. 41. Samuel Galt.

( ).

V. 105. Albert Galt.

106. Robert Galt.

107. Rose Galt.

108. Margaret Galt.

109. Jennie Galt.

IV. 43. Mary Galt.

( ) Longley.

V. 110. Samuel Longley.

111. Elizabeth Longley.

112. Susan Longley.

IV. 47. Thomas Shaw.

( ).

V. 113. Anna Shaw, m. ( ) Shober.

114. Thomas Shaw.

115. Ella Shaw.

116. Laura Shaw.

117. Mary Shaw.

IV. 51. John Galt.

( ).





- V. 118. George Galt.  
119. John Galt.  
120. Annie Handy Galt.

IV. 53. Margaret Galt.

( ) Valentine.

- V. 121. Sterling Galt Valentine.  
122. Milton Henry Valentine.  
123. Margaret G. Valentine, m. ( ) Seigris.  
124. Esther A. Valentine, m. ( ) Miller.

IV. 55. William Matthew Galt.

( ),

- V. 125. Ralph Lee Galt.  
126. Arthur Grayson Galt.  
127. Edith Galt.  
128. Gertrude Galt, m. ( ) Richardson.  
129. Agnes Galt.  
130. Bessie Galt.  
131. Edgar Roy Galt.  
132. Lucy Galt, m. ( ) Hanger; r. New York City,  
133. William Matthew Galt.

IV. 57. Henry Galt.

( ).

- V. 134. Robert A. Galt.  
135. Sterling Archibald Galt.  
136. Margaret Galt.  
137. Mary Galt.  
138. Anna Galt.  
139. Matthew Galt.  
140. Herbert Galt.

IV. 59. Mary Shunk.

( ) McKellup,



V. 141. Alarilla McKellup, m. ( ) Browinng.

IV. 60. Samuel Galt.  
( ).

V. 142. Mary Galt.

IV. 61. Elizabeth Galt.  
( ) Harner.

V. 143. Mary Harner.

144. Adelaide Harner.

IV. 62. Susannah Galt.  
( ) Birnie.

V. 145. Upton Birnie.

146. Galt Birnie.

IV. 67. Mary A. Galt.  
( ) Leidy.

V. 147. Percy Leidy.

IV. 69. Ursula Galt.  
( ) Reindollar.

V. 148. Louisa Reindollar.

IV. 75. William Jones.  
( ).

V. 149. Harry Jones.

IV. 76. Matthew Jones.  
( ).

V. 150. Mary Jones.

151. William Jones.

152. Charles Jones.

V. 81. Margaret E. Galt.  
( ) Motter.

VI. Murray Galt Motter.





V. 102. Nellie Galt,  
( ) Lutz,

VI. 156. Ellen Lutz.

157. Clara Lutz,

158. Frank Lutz.

V. 121. Sterling Galt Valentine,  
( ).

VI. 159. Sterling Galt Valentine.

160. William Elliott Valentine.

161. Margaret Grayson Valentine,

162. Catherine A. Valentine,

V. 125. Ralph Lee Galt,  
( ).

VI. 165. Ralph Lee Galt.

V. 127. Edith Galt,  
( ) Mish,

VI. 166. William Galt Mish,

167. Robert Grayson Mish.

V. 136. Margaret Galt.  
( ) Statt.

VI. 168. Robert Statt.

(A brief statement regarding the Maryland Galts is given on  
page 51-52).







## Appendix VI. GENEALOGY OF CANADA GALTS

### and their Connections

For most of the data in the list which follows the writer is indebted to Dr. W. Harvey Smith, of Winnipeg.

- I. 1. ( ) Galt. (Scotland.)  
( ).
- II. 2. John Galt.  
3. James Galt.
- II. 2. John Galt, b. 1713.  
Agnes Wilson, of Mountgrunan Mill,  
Scotland.
- III. 4. Janet Galt, b. 1746; m. James Freco (?).  
5. John Galt.  
6. Jean Galt, b. 1751; m. 1) William Baird, 2)  
Thomas Galt.  
7. James Galt, b. 1758; m. Jean Sect (?); (Captain;  
went to Vermont, or Virginia.)  
8. Agnes Galt, b. 1769; m. Robert Topsey.  
9. Mary Galt.
- II. 3. James Galt.  
Penelope Caskel.
- III. 10. John Galt, b. 1746 (?).  
11. Agnes Galt, b. 1748.  
12. Mary Galt, b. 1750.  
13. Margaret Galt, b. 1752; m. John Baird (?).  
14. James Galt, 1754.  
15. Thomas Galt, b. 1755.  
16. William Galt, b. 1758 (?). (See I, 1 in App. VII.)  
17. Jean Galt, b. 1761 (?).



- III. 5. John Galt, b. 1741; m. 1776; d. 1817,  
Jean Thomas, d. 1826.
- IV. 18. John Galt.  
19. Agnes Galt.  
20. Janet Galt, b. 1783; d. 1798.  
21. Thomas Galt, b. 1785; d. 1813, (at Honduras),  
III. 9. Mary Galt, b. 1771.  
John Chalmers.
- IV. 22. John Chalmers.
- III. 15. Thomas Galt, b. 1755.  
6. Jean Galt, Widow Baird,  
(a cousin).
- IV. 23. Elizabeth Galt, 1812-1892.  
24. John Galt, b. 1814.  
25. Catherine Galt, b. 1817.  
25a. Margaret Galt, 1820-1848.  
25b. Mary Galt, 1823-1845.  
25c. Alexander Galt.
- IV. 18. John Galt, b. 1779; m. 1813;  
(Scotch Novelist); d. 1839.  
Elizabeth Tilloch, (of London).
- V. 26. John Galt.  
27. Thomas Galt.  
28. Alexander Tilloch Galt.
- IV. 19. Agnes Galt, b. 1781; m. 1806,  
Robert Macfie, (Merchant of  
Grenock, Scotland.)
- V. 29. Robert Macfie, b. 1807; d. 1824.  
30. Jane Thomson Macfie, b. 1809; d. 1830.  
31. Mary Macfie, b. 1811; d. 1826.





IV. 22. John Chalmers.

19. Agnes Galt, (a cousin).

V. 32. Susie Chalmers.

33. ( ) Chalmers.

34. Mary Chalmers; d. 1889.

IV. 25c. Alexander Galt, b. 1827; d. 1868.

( ) Miller.

V. 36. Mary Galt, 1849-1909.

37. James Galt, 1851-1856.

38. John Galt.

39. Alexander Galt, b. 1854; r. Edinburgh; (D. Sc.,  
F. R. S. E.)

39a. Margaret Galt, b. 1857.

39b. Frederic Galt, 1859-1861.

39c. William Galt, b. 1861; d in Canada.

39d. Elizabeth Galt, 1863-1868.

39e. Hugh Galt.

V. 26. John Galt, b. 1814; r. Canada;  
d. 1866.

Helen H. Lizars, d. 1892.

VI. 41. Robina Galt.

42. Agnes Galt, m. John Haldane.

43. Elizabeth Galt.

44. Jane (?) Galt.

45. Helen Galt, m. J. Savage.

46. Magdeline Galt, m. Robert Clark.

50. John Galt.

V. 27. Thomas Galt, b. 1815; m. 1847;  
("Sir Thomas", Chief Justice of  
Ontario); d. 1901.

Frances L. Perkins.





VI. 51. Elizabeth Alice Galt, b. 1848; d. 1938; m. Dr. William Oliver.

52. Ada Campbell Galt, b. 1850; m. 1880; Stewart Tupper; d. 1921.

53. Alexander Casimer Galt.

54. George Frederick Galt.

55. Thomas Percival Galt, b. 1857; m. Susan Paton. (4 children).

56. Frederick William Galt, b. 1861; d. young.

57. Clarence Campbell Galt, b. 1861; d. 1883.

58. Ethel Louisa Galt, b. 1863; Austin Shaw.

59. Hubert V. Shaw.

60. Edith Florence Galt, b. 1867; m. 1912, Frederick Helmer.

V. 28. Sir Alexander Tilloch Galt, b. 1817; m. 1) 1848; 2) 1852; (Statesman and Financier of Canada); d. 1893. 1) Elliott Torrance, d. 1850. 2) Amy Torrance (sister of above); d. 1911.

VI. 1) 65. Elliott Torrance Galt, r. Alberta; d. 1928.

2) 66. Alexander Gillespie Galt, d. (in infancy).

67. John Galt,

68. Amy Gordon Galt.

69. Thomas Galt, d. (in infancy).

70. Kate B. Galt, b. 1860.

71. Selina B. Galt, b. 1863.

72. Evelyn Carter Galt.

73. Mabel Lillias Galt.

74. Alexander Tilloch Galt, b. 1868; ("student in art and music").



75. Mary Oneida Galt.  
76. Annie Prince Galt.  
    V. 32. Susie Chalmers.  
        Alexander Morrison.  
VI. 80. Minnie Mary Morrison, b. (about) 1862; m. John  
    Forest, r. Boston.  
    V. 38. John Galt, b. 1852; ("Engineer at  
        Toronto; 1900") d. 1910.  
        Elizabeth (      ).  
VI. 85. (a son).  
    86. (a daughter).  
    V. 39e. Hugh Galt, 1866-1936.  
        (      ).  
VI. 88. John Gibson Galt, b. 1905.  
    V. 40. Jean Craig, b. 1815; d. 1891.  
        James Jeffry.  
VI. 90. Penelope Galt Jeffry.  
    VI. 50. John Galt, b; 1861; m. 1885;  
        (Postmaster at Goderich, Ontario.)  
        Mary Lena Cameron.  
VII. 101. John Galt, b. 1886; m. 1913; Dorothy Marsden.  
    102-106. (Five daughters).  
    VI. 53. Alexander Casimer Galt, b. 1852 (?);  
        m. 1885; ("Justice Galt of  
        Winnipeg").  
        Ella Grace Vivan.  
VII. 110. George Galt, r. Winnipeg.  
    111. Cecily M. Galt, m. (      ) Moser.  
    112. Gerald Galt, d. (Killed in war).  
    113. Donald Galt, r. Toronto.





- VI. 54. George Frederick Galt, b. 1855;  
d. 1928.  
1) Margaret Smith, m. 1883.  
2) Muriel Maunsell.
- VII. 1) 114-118. (Five children).  
2) 119-120. (Two children).
- VI. 67 John Galt, b. 1856; d. 1933.  
1) Isabelle Atkinson.  
2) Mabel Henderson.
- VII. 1) 121. Isabelle Galt, b. 1887; m. 1908; C. B. Piper,  
Five children.  
2) 122. John Galt, b. 1891; d. 1915, (in war).  
123. Maryon Galt, b. 1892 m. 1) Alfred C.  
Critchley, 2) H. Weldon.  
124. Evelyn Galt, b. 1894; d. 1929.
- VI. 68. Amy Gordon Galt.  
Robert Grant, r. Boston; ("Novelist"),
- VII. 125. Robert Grant, r. London and New York.  
126. Alexander Grant, m. Catherine Delano.  
127. Patrick Grant, d. 1927.  
128. Gordon Grant.
- VI. 72. Evelyn Cartier Galt, b. 1865.  
Arthur Springett.
- VII. 129. Amy Louise Springett, b. 1894; m. Theodore  
B. Heney.  
130. Margaret Springett.
- VI. 73. Mabel Lillias Galt, b. 1866; m. 1889.  
Charles A. McGrath.
- VII. 131-132. (Two daughters).
- VI. 75. Mary Oneida Galt, b. 1870; m. 1896.  
Augustus R. Dunford, r. Montreal.





VII. 131-135. (Three sons).

VI. 76. Annie Prince Galt, b. 1875; m. 1901.  
W. Harvey Smith. r. Winnipeg;  
(Physician).

VII. 136. Henry Gordon Harvey Smith, b. 1902; m. 1931,  
Constance St. John White.

137. Muriel Harvey Smith, b. 1904; m. 1929,  
Harold Turner; r. Quebec.

VI. 90. Penelope Galt Jeffry, b. 1836;  
d. 1905.

William Findley, (Tailor at Irvine,  
Scotland).

VII. 141. Micheal Findlay.

VII. 130. Margaret Springett, b. 1896.  
m. 1925.

Captain Eric Elkington, r. England.

VIII. 151. Galt Elkington.

152. Gay Elkington.

VII. 141. Micheal Findlay, b. 1863;  
(Ironmoulder).

Zena Carmicheal.

VIII. 201. John Findlay.

VIII. 201. John Findlay, b. 1888; (Iron  
monger).

Margaret Allan.

IX. 211. William Findlay, b. 1911; (at Cathcart).





Appendix VII. GENEALOGY OF SCOTLAND-NEW YORK.  
ILLINOIS GALTS

(Data supplied by John Randolph Galt, V-41)

- I. 1. William Galt, (See App. VI, III-16).  
A cooper in Ayrshire, Scotland.  
m. Margaret Mitchell.
- II. 2. Christina Galt, m. ( ) Dalziel, d. in Glasgow.  
3. Jane Galt, m. Andrew Pickin, d. 1859.  
4. David Galt.
  - II. 4. David Galt, 1784-1852.  
b. in Kilmarnock, d. in New York City,  
m. 1803. Annie Currie, b. 1777.
- III. 5. Jean Galt, 1804-1808.  
6. David Galt, 1st. b. 1805, d. in infancy,  
7. Margaret Galt, 1807-1820,  
8. David Galt, 2nd,  
9. John Galt,  
10. James Galt, 1814-15.  
11. Agnes Galt,  
12. William Galt,  
13. Jean A. Galt.
  - III. 8. David Galt, 2nd, 1809-1843,  
m. Catherine Currie.  
r. New Haven, Connecticut.
- IV. 14. ( ), a daughter.  
15. William Galt, 1828-1852.  
16. David Galt, 3rd.  
17. Annie Galt, 1836-1906.  
18. Josephine Galt, d. in infancy.





19. John Galt, d. young.

20. James Galt,

III. 9. John Galt, b. 1812 at Paisley, Scotland,  
d. 1886.

m. Margaret McLellan Cunningham,  
d. 1875.

IV. 21. John Galt.

22. Margaret E. Galt, d. young.

23. Jean Galt.

24. Agnes Galt.

25. Margaret E. Galt, 2nd.

26. Mary Galt.

27. David Galt.

III. 11. Agnes Galt, 1816-1890.

m. 1) Samuel Peat.

2) James W. Mitchell.

IV. 1) 28. George S. Peat, r. New Haven, Connecticut.

28a. Samuel G. Peat, r. Harlem, New York.

2) 29. Annie Isabella Mitchell.

III. 13. Jean (Jane) Galt, 1826-1889.

m. William Young of New York City.

IV. 30. James Young.

31. Jane Young.

32. William S. Young.

IV. 16. David Galt, 3rd, 1829-1912.

m. Mary Jane Brown.

V. 33. Lizzie Galt.

34. Annie Galt, 1836-1906.

35. Josephine Galt, d. in infancy.

36. John Galt, d. young.

37. James Galt.





IV. 20. James Galt, b. 1834, m. 1862.

Sarah H. Hucheson, d. 1873.

r. Morrison, Whiteside Co., Illinois.

V. 38. Ida Galt.

IV. 21. John Galt, 1839-1907.

m. 1862, Ann Evelyn Roberts,

1843-1928.

V. 39. Clarence H. Galt.

40. William R. Galt.

41. John Randolph Galt.

42. Minnie Galt.

43. Evelyn Galt, b. 1873; m. 1898, Fred T. Miles,  
of London. No issue.

44. Grace Galt, b. 1875, Single.

45. Fannie Galt, b. 1877.

46. Lawrence Percival Galt.

IV. 24. Agnes Galt, b. 1849; m. 1870,

James W. Mosher, b. 1845.

r. Buffalo, New York.

V. 47. William James Mosher, b. 1874.

48. Charles F. Mosher, b. 1876.

49. Evelyn G. Mosher, b. 1878.

50. Clarence H. Mosher, b. 1882.

51. Walter McLellan Mosher, 1886-1893.

IV. 25. Margaret E. Galt, 2nd.

A. H. VanScriver.

V. 52. Eliza VanScriver.

53. Walter VanScriver, d. in infancy.

IV. 26. Mary Galt.

R. T. Roberts.



V. 54. Randall Roberts.

55. Carrie Roberts,

56. Evelyn Roberts.

V. 39. Clarence H. Galt, 1836-1922.

Mary McCutcheon.

r. Newburgh, N. Y. and New York  
City.

V. 60. Pricilla May Allen Galt, b. 1894.

V. 40. William R. Galt, 1865-1927.

m. 1891, Anna B. Hall.

Newburgh, New York.

V. 61. Eleanor Hall Galt, 1901-1934.

V. 41. John Randolph Galt, b. 1867, at  
Newburgh, New York.

1) 1892, Agnes Carter, d. 1927.

2) 1937, Lucy Catherine Keeff.

r. Honolulu.

VI. 1) 62. John Galt.

63. Charles Lunt Carter Galt.

V. 42. Minnie Galt, b. 1870.

1) 1891, C. S. Ward,

2) 1910, Ralph Bisbee.

3) Leslie A. Oliver.

VI. 1) 64. John Ward, b. 1893.

2) 65. Horatio Bisbee, b. 1913.

V. 46. Lawrence Percival Galt, b. 1884,  
Newburgh, New York.

m. 1910, Gladys Christy.

r. Montclair, New Jersey.

VI. 71. Virginia Gladys Galt.

72. Lawrence Percival Galt, b. 1914.





73. John Pierson Galt, b. 1916.  
74. James Christy Galt, b. 1920.
- VI. 62. John Galt, b. 1893 at Seattle,  
Eleanor Crehore,  
r. Honolulu.
- VII. 81. John Randolph Galt, b. 1919.  
82. Cordelia Galt, b. 1922.
- VI. 63. Charles Lunt Carter Galt, b. 1895  
at Seattle.  
m. 1928, Dorothy Mosher,  
r. Honolulu.
- VII. 91. Carter Hamilton Galt, b. 1929; d. in infancy,  
92. Beverly Randolph Galt, b. 1930.  
93. Dawn Barlow Galt, b. 1933.
- VI. 71. Virginia Gladys Galt, b. 1912,  
m. 1935, Roland C. Taylor,  
r. Montclair, New Jersey,
- VII. 96. Virginia Gladys Taylor, b. 1937.

#### Appendix VIII. GENEALOGY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE GAULTS

Data compiled by the "Media Research Bureau", and sent by  
Charles Beers Gault to Mary Meares Galt.

- I. 1. Samuel Gault, Migrated from Scotland  
to Ireland; and from Ireland to New  
Hampshire, about 1721.  
Elsie Carlton.





II. 2. Alexander Gault, Probably born in Ireland.

3. John Gault, Probably born in Ireland,

4. James Gault,

5. Elsie Gault.

6. Patrick Gault,

7. Samuel Gault,

8. Andrew Gault.

9. Matthew Gault.

10. Jane (or Jenny) Gault,

II. 2. Alexander Gault.

( ).

III. 11. Samuel Dennis Gault.

II. 6. Patrick Gault.

Ann Thompson.

III. 12. Samuel Gault.

13. William Gault.

14. Andrew Gault,

15. Hannah Gault,

16. Alice Gault.

II. 7. Samuel Gault, r. Bradford Vermont.

Ann Cochran.

III. 17-25, (Nine children; names not given).

II. 8. Andrew Gault, r. Pembroke, N. H.

Molly Ayer.

III. 26. Samuel Gault.

27. Matthew Gault.

28. Andrew Gault.

29. Elsie Gault.

30. Molly Gault.

31. Jane (or Jenny) Gault,

32. Betsey Gault.



33. Margaret Gault, (?).

34. William Gault, (?).

II. 9. Matthew Gault, Killed in French war,  
1759.

Betsey March, (No issue ?),

III. 11. Samuel Dennis Gault,

Mercy Burr.

IV. 41. James Washington Burr Gault.

IV. 41. James Washington Burr Gault,  
Abigail Woolsey.

V. 51. Zuriel Samuel Gault,

VI. 51. Zuriel Samuel Gault.

Mary Lincoln Lampman.

VI. 61. Francis Beers Gault.

VI. 61. Francis Beers Gault.

Susie Bell LaMotte.

VII. 71. Charles Beers Gault, b. 1911, r. Lake Waccamaw,  
North Carolina.

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## ADDENDA

While the pages of the Appendices were being printed further information regarding widely scattered Galt families—most of it resulting from inquiries by Miss Mary Meares Galt—was received. The data, although fragmentary and disconnected, are added here as a further step toward inclusive treatment, and as a basis for the research of other persons.

### 1. THE GALTS OF FLUVANNA COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

Correction and Expansion of the List on pages 125-6.

- I. 1. ( ) Galt; his issue (conjectural):
- II. 2. ( ) Galt. His wife "Mrs. Elizabeth Galt".
3. ( ) Galt. Her husband, ( ) Allan. Their son, John Allan, foster-father of Edgar Allan Poe.
4. William Galt. Migrated to America about 1770. A wealthy merchant of Richmond, Virginia. d. 1825.
- (5. William Galt. His wife, Jean Malcolm. Four (?) sons, two of whom were William and James).

Note---. The above places two brothers named William in the same family, which is doubtless incorrect. In the present work, pages 48 and 125, the last-named William Galt, above, is stated to be the son of William Galt of Richmond. This appears to be incorrect, for the stronger evidence is that he was a nephew. It seems that John Allan and James Galt were also William Galt's nephews. There are references to these points in Hervey Allan's book "Israfel", but the data are inconclusive.

From "II. 5. William Galt", above, the records are quite complete, as below:

- II. 5. William Galt, r. Ayrshire, Scotland.  
Jean Malcolm.





III. 15. William Galt.

16. James Galt.

These two, with John Allan, after migrating to Virginia, became inheritors under the will of William Galt, of Richmond. Later they established the estates "Glenarvon" and "Point-of-Fork" in Fluvanna County,

III. 15. William Galt, b. 1801; r.  
"Glenarvon", Fluvanna, County,  
Virginia. d. 1851.  
Mary Bell Taylor.

- IV. 21. Mary Galt, d. unmarried,  
22. Thomas Taylor Galt, d. unmarried,  
23. Rosanna Galt, d. unmarried,  
24. James K. Galt, m. Julia Slaughter.  
25. Lucy Mumford Galt, m. Judge William Henry  
Holman,  
26. Jean Malcolm Galt.  
27. William Galt, d. unmarried,  
28. Fannie Elizabeth Galt.  
29. Sallie Warnick Galt.

III. 16. James Galt, b. 1805, at Irvine,  
Scotland.  
m. 1827, r. "Point-of-Fork",  
Virginia; d. 1876.  
Mary Colquhoun, d. 1872.

- IV. 31. James Galt, b. 1827.  
32. Frances C. Galt, b. 1829; d. in infancy,  
33. Jean Malcolm Galt, b. 1829.  
34. William Galt, b. 1831; d. in infancy,  
35. Thomas Colquhoun Galt.  
36. John Allan Galt, b. 1834.



37. Robert Galt, b. 1836.
38. William Galt, b. 1839.
39. Frederick Galt, b. 1841; d. 1841.
40. Mary Colquhoun Galt, b. 1843; m. 1865, Charles  
Goldsborough, Baltimore, Maryland.
41. Francis Galt, b. 1845; d. 1845.
42. Frances Arm Galt, b. 1847.
43. Malcolm Galt, b. 1849.

IV, 26, Jean Malcolm Galt, b. 1839;  
m. 1858.

Alexander Fisher Kinney.

- V. 51. William Galt Kinney.
52. Mary Ambler Kinney.
53. Thomas Colston Kinney, m. 1) Caroline H. Johnson;  
2) Maude Inglis Francis.
54. Lucy Galt Kinney.
55. Matilda Trout Kinney.

IV. 35. Thomas Colquhoun Galt, b 1832.  
Betty ( ).

- V. 61. James Galt, r. Haddonsfield, New Jersey.
62. Thomas Galt.
63. Mary Galt.

V. 51, William Galt Kinney, b. 1859.  
m. 1) 1882, Gertude C. Brooks,  
d. 1884.

2) 1889, Millie Margaret  
Robertson.

- VI. 2) 71. Florence Fleming Kinney, b. 1890.
72. Jean Galt Kinney, b. 1893.

V. 52. Mary Ambler Kinney, b. 1862.  
McHenry Holiday, b. 1851.





- VI. 81. Malcomb Alexander Holliday, b. 1887.  
 82. Helen McHenry Holliday, m. Charles A. Holt.

2. A Family of Galts in Galston, Ayrshire, Scotland.

Data from a "chart sent to Will Galt Brown by Nicol James Galt of Galston, Ayrshire."

- I. 1. James Galt, b. 1807; m. 1827.  
 Margaret Fletcher, b. 1803.

- II. 2. Alexander Fletcher Galt.  
 3. James Galt.  
 4. John Fletcher Galt, b. 1837.  
 5. Margaret Galt, b. 1838; m. James Nicoll; d. 1926,  
 6. Thomas Gregory Galt, b. 1840.  
 7. Nicol Fletcher Galt, b. 1841.  
 8. Janet Fletcher Galt.  
 9. David Andrew Pringle Galt, b. 1846.

- II. 2. Alexander Fletcher Galt, b. 1832,  
 Elizabeth Wallace.

- III. 10. Nicol Fletcher Galt.

- II. 3. James Galt.  
 ( ).

- III. 11. Margaret Galt, 1859-1933.

- II. 8. Janet Fletcher Galt.  
 ( ) Nicoll.

- III. 12. Avan (?) Nicoll.

13. Mary Nicoll.  
 14. Jessie Nicoll,  
 15. Ina Nicoll, m. S. Watson,  
 16. Jean Nicoll.





- III. 10. Nicol Fletcher Galt, 1862-1934.  
1) Janet Reid Cuthertson (?),  
1869-1898.  
2) Annie Woodburn Steele.
- IV. 1) 20. Alexander Fletcher Galt, 1891-1918; 307th Co.  
Infantry, U. S. Forces.  
21. Nicol James Galt, r. Galston, Ayrshire.  
2) 22. Elizabeth Calderwood Wallace Galt, m. Matthew  
Houston.
- III. 13. Mary Nicoll, b. 1863,  
John Dick.
- IV. 31. John Dick.  
32. Margaret Dick.
- III. 14. Jessie Nicoll.  
Thomas Patterson.
- IV. 41. Thomas Patterson, m. Agnes Murdock.
- III. 16. Jean Nicoll.  
D. Birse.
- IV. 51. Margaret Birse, m. Ralph Jack.  
52. Jean Birse.
3. A Galt Family in Paisley, Scotland.  
Data supplied by James Galt, Paisley, Scotland; and by George  
M. Galt, Pittsfield, Massachusetts.
- I. 1. Thomas Galt.  
( ).
- II. 2. William Galt.  
3. Thomas Galt.  
4. John Galt.  
5. James Galt.



II. 2. William Galt, "Family comes from  
Irvine, Ayrshire".

Margaret Sowers (? Lowers),

III. 11. Margaret Galt.

12. Thomas Galt.

13. William Galt.

14. John Galt.

15. James Galt, d. in infancy.

16. Catherine Galt,

17. Cecilia Galt.

18. James Galt.

19. Christina Galt.

III. (? 2. William; or 3. Thomas; or 4. John)  
Galt.

( ).

IV. 21. George Macadam Galt.

III. 18. James Galt, r. Glanderston, Potter-  
hill, Paisley, Scotland.

Mary Cochrane.

IV. 31. Jessie Cochrane Galt.

IV. 21. George Macadam Galt, b. at Paisley,  
Scotland. Migrated to U. S.,  
1924, r. Pittisfield, Mass.

( ).

V. 41. John Galt, b. 1932.

42. Sara Dobie Galt, b. 1936.





4. Galts in the North of Scotland, and in Tiverton, Ontario,  
Canada.

Data supplied by Rev. John Galt, Tiverton.

I. 1. Alexander Galt, b. 1742. Family  
located in Banffshire and Morayshire,  
Scotland.

Mary McHattie, b. 1740.

II. 2. James Galt, b. 1767.

3. Patrick Galt.

4. Jean Galt, b. 1772.

5. Alexander Galt, b. 1778.

II. 3. Patrick (or, Peter) Galt, b. 1769.  
Barbara Lawrence.

III. 11. Peter Galt, b. 1817.

12. Mary Galt, b. 1819.

13. John Galt.

III. 13. John Galt, b. 1827,  
Ann McRae.

IV. 21. Flora Galt, b. 1857.

22. Peter Galt, b. 1860.

23. John Galt.

24. Jane Ann Galt, b. 1868.

25. Isabella Priest Galt, b. 1870.

IV. 23. John Galt, b. 1863; m. 1893.

r. Baptist Manse, Tiverton, On-  
tario, Canada.

Frances Anne Jackson, b. 1860 at  
London.

V. 31. Irene Barbara Galt, b. 1894; d. in infancy.

32. Beulah Frances Galt, b. 1896.

33. Ian Galt, b. 1899; r. Toronto.





5. Galts in the North of Scotland, and in Cartier, Ontario,  
Canada.

Data from John Galt, Cartier.

I. 1. Alexander Galt, Removed from Botri-  
phine in the North of Scotland to  
Edinburgh about 1870, d. 1886,  
Margaret Milne.

II. 2. John Galt,

II. 2. John Galt, b. 1877, in Edinburgh,  
Migrated to Canada, 1910.  
Eliza Haw.

III. 11. Elsie Galt,  
12. David Galt,  
13. Alexander Galt,  
14. Walter John Galt.

"Head of Family is Peter Galt, of Glasgow".

6. Galts in Poundland, Ayrshire, Scotland, and in Iowa.

Data supplied by Jean Lilla Galt to Mary Meares Galt.

I. 1. David Galt, b. 1783; r. Poundland,  
Scotland. d. 1883.

Elizabeth Shearer.

II. 2. Mary Galt, m. ( ) McMillan.  
3. Jean Galt, m. ( ) Begg.  
4. Nannie Galt, m. ( ) McCree.  
5. Kate Galt, m. ( ) McCreath.  
6. Elizabeth Galt, m. ( ) Murray,  
7. Belle Galt, m. ( ) Provan,  
8. Margaret Galt, (unmarried),  
9. Sarah Galt. "



10. John Galt.
11. Andrew Galt.

II. 10. John Galt.  
Janet Wilson,

- III. 21. James Galt.  
22. David Galt.  
23. Jane Galt, m. ( ) McCornack.  
24. John Galt.  
25. Elizabeth Galt, m. ( ) Provan.  
26. James Galt, (?).

III. 22. David Galt, Migrated to Iowa in  
1856.

Mary McCormick.

- IV. 31. James Neil Galt.  
32. Grace Elizabeth Galt, m. ( ) Ward.  
33. Biola Esma Galt, m. ( ) McCornack.  
34. Flora Belle Galt, m. ( ) Sloane.  
35. Archibald David Galt.  
36. Jean Lilla Galt, r. Washington, D. C.

7. Galts in Ayrshire, Scotland, and in Ithaca, New York.

Data supplied by Mary Galt, (Mrs. Frank Vesey).

Adam Galt. His son, Adam Galt. His son, John Galt.  
His children:

Adam Galt, Jr. John Galt. James Galt. George Galt  
Hugh Galt. Margaret Galt. Mary Galt, m. Frank  
Vesey; r. Ithaca, N. Y.

"Family lived for over eighty years in Ayrshire, Scotland".





### 8. A Family of Galts in Georgia.

Data by Mary Meares Galt, from Knight's "History of Georgia and Georgians", Pp. 2727-8.

I. 1. Joel Galt, r. Pendleton Distrist, S. C.,  
and in Georgia.

Frances Machen, 1810-1880.

II. 2. Joel Galt.

II. 2. Joel Galt, r. Canton, Georgia,  
Malinda Grisham, 1829-1902.

III. 3. Susan Galt, m. ( ) Tuggle.

4. Margaret Galt, m. ( ) Spier.

5. Jabez Galt.

6. Ada Galt, m. ( ) Lewis.

7. Frances Galt, m. ( ) Haddon.

8. Mildred Galt, m. ( ) Roberts.

9. William Galt.

III. 9. William Galt, b. 1861. (Banker),  
Lucy Putnam.

IV. 10. Odian Putnam Galt,

11. Frances Galt.

12. Martha Galt.

### 9. Galts from Belfast, Ireland, to California.

Data from Mary Meares Galt.

A Protestant Irish family, influential in Belfast. Descendant, Alexander Galt, California pioneer; Mayor of Nevada City, fifteen years. Daughter, Mary Galt, m. 1885, ( ) Maltman. Daughters; Annie M. Maltman, Clara A. Maltman.





## 10. A Doctor Galt in London.

Data in a letter from the doctor to the present writer.

William Junius Galt, M. A., M. B., B. Ch., Oxon., M. R. C. S., Eng., L. R. C. P., London. Born at Hangchow, China.

His father: James Galt, F. R. C. S., of Edinburgh; born at Fife, Scotland.

(Doctor Galt's letter refers to "Dr. Hugh Miller Galt, the well-known Pathologist, who died at Brighton a few years ago".)

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The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been  
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